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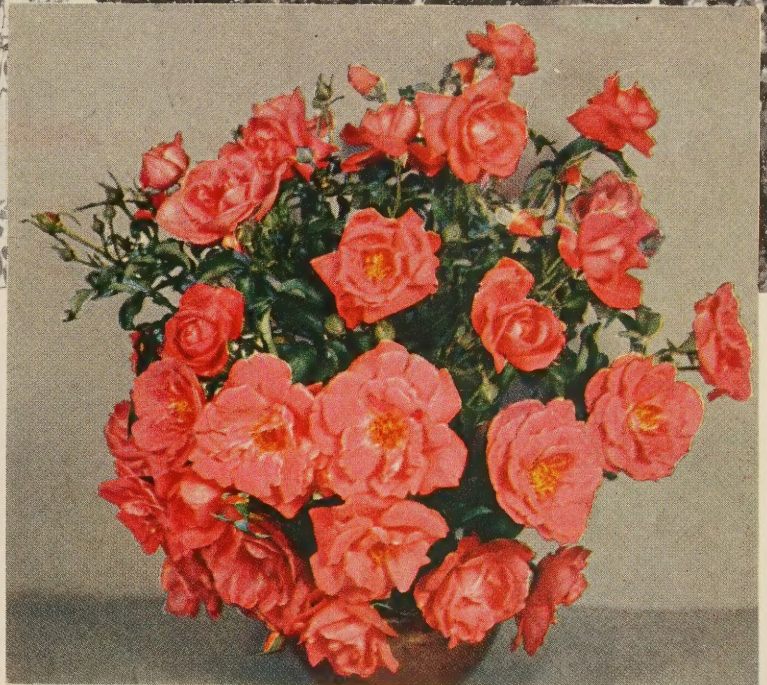
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## New! ROSE RUBY GLOW

Introduced 1955 by Bobbink & Atkins. An everblooming red Climbing and Pillar Rose with a great future. Just before opening, the color is spectrum-red. The plant is very hardy and healthy, even in cold climates. It grows up to 6 or 7 feet in a couple of years, making a neat, strong-growing pillar that will climb higher as desired. The abundant semi-double blooms, borne singly and in clusters, are extremely fragrant. We have not yet seen any red climber like it in color or habit. (The Roses in the bowl were cut in September from young plants.) See page 15.



RUBY GLOW. Plant Patent No. 1234

1955

# Garden Gems

## Bobbink & Atkins

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# Greetings . . . To All Our Friends and Customers

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It is our pleasure to present our new catalogue for 1955, our fifty-seventh year of furnishing gardeners and plant lovers with quality plants in a continued endeavor to help beautify our country.

Truly, the gardener who prepares the soil and plants derives many pleasures: The inspiration of the flowers turning their faces to the sun; the first green growth appearing through the last snows of winter; the trees and plants swaying and dancing in the breeze. Green life is forever renewed with satisfaction and pleasure for all who love nature. Enjoy your garden away from all the trials and disturbances of the day. There is real happiness and relaxation in your garden. None so contented as he who can enjoy the fruits of his labors from the good earth.

Here at Bobbink & Atkins we have for many years offered large stocks of quality plants including Roses, Azaleas, Rhododendrons, Flowering Shrubs and Trees, Perennials and Ground Covers. We trust it may be our privilege to supply you with plants to give you years of enjoyment.

We also have pleasure in introducing to you for the first time our new, glorious, everblooming Climbing Rose, Ruby Glow, and our beautiful new Pyracantha, well named "Sensation", both of which we hope you will want to plant and enjoy.

With all good wishes for success and happy gardening.

BOBBINK & ATKINS.

## All-America ROSE SELECTIONS

In 1938 a group of nationally known Rose nurserymen founded the non-profit organization named All-America Rose Selections. There are now over 26 Rose Test Gardens from coast to coast where impartial Rose experts judge and score the new hybrids over at least two year periods. Thousands of un-named varieties have thus been tested but only a comparatively few are finally selected for the highest and most coveted distinction in rosedom which is the AARS award. Since the founding of this organization, of which we are proud to be charter members, awards have been made to all the varieties on these two pages.



### Four Newest All-America Rose Selections

#### GROUP OFFER S-55-1

**CHRYSLER IMPERIAL.** Plant Pat. 1167. Dark red.

**MOJAVE.** Plant Pat. 1176. Orange, scarlet-vermilion.


**QUEEN ELIZABETH.** Plant Pat. 1259. Orchid pink.

**TIFFANY.** Plant Pat. 1304. Warm, clear pink.

**ALL FOUR FOR**


**\$9.85**

(Regular value \$11.25)




QUEEN ELIZABETH

\$3.00 each;  
3 or more, \$2.65 each  
1955 AARS Winner




CHRYSLER  
IMPERIAL

\$2.50 each; 3 or  
more, \$2.20 each



TIFFANY

\$3.00 each;  
3 or more, \$2.65 each  
1955 AARS Winner



MOJAVE. \$2.75 each;  
3 or more, \$2.50 each



PEACE  
\$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each



## ALL-AMERICA *Rose Selections*

Rose lovers who plant the varieties proudly presented here will be thrilled with their beauty. Give them the simple and loving care they deserve, and gratifying results will be yours. Spaced about 18 inches apart, more or less as you wish, ten plants may be set out in a bed approximately 3 feet wide by 7 feet long. They should have at least a half-day of sunshine.

### GROUP OFFER S-55-2

**HELEN TRAUBEL.** Plant Pat. 1028. Pink.  
**KATHERINE T. MARSHALL.** Plant Pat. 607.

Coral-pink.

**MIRANDY.** Plant Pat. 632. Garnet red.

**NOCTURNE.** Plant Pat. 713. Cardinal-red.

**SUTTER'S GOLD.** Plant Pat. 885.

Deep orange.

**PEACE.** Plant Pat. 591. Cream yellow flushed pink.

**ALL SIX \$11.45  
FOR**  
(Regular value \$13.25)

**HELEN TRAUBEL**  
\$2.50 each;  
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and cultural information  
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**KATHERINE T.  
MARSHALL**  
\$1.75 each;  
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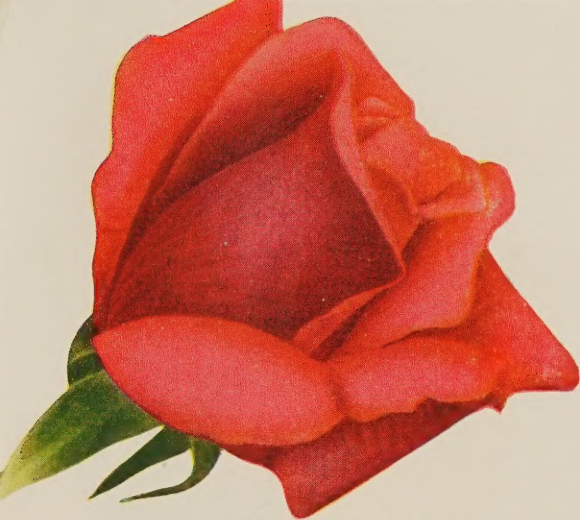
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**MIRANDY**  
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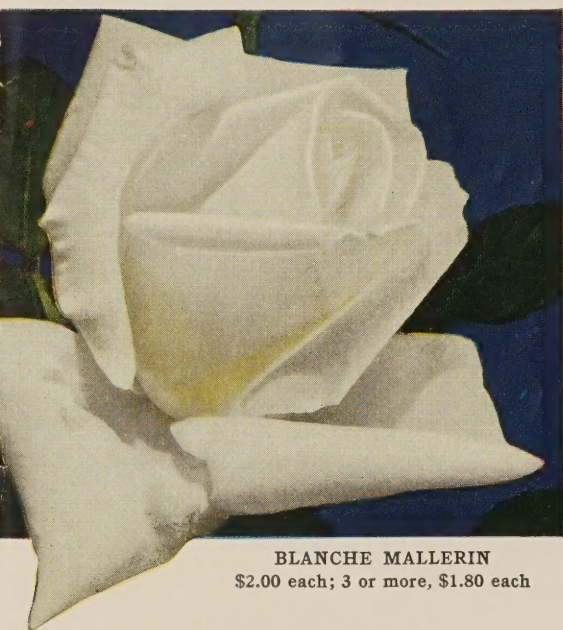




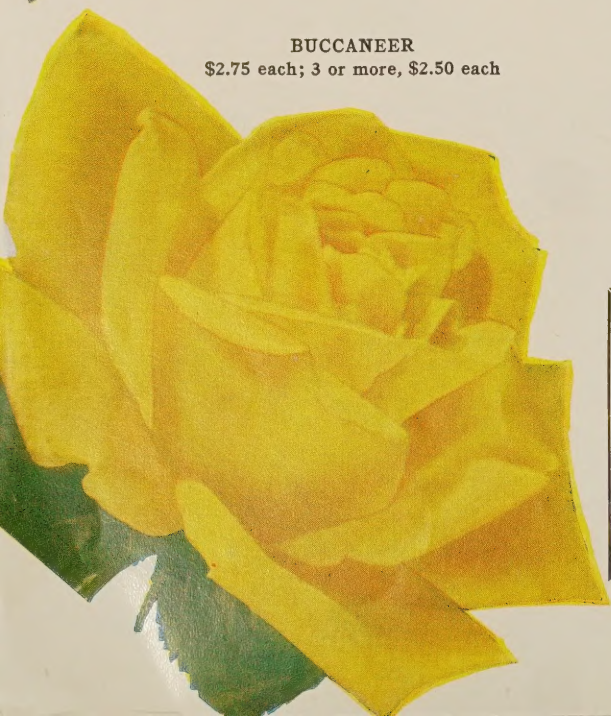
**CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG**  
\$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each

### AUGUST 1st DEADLINE

Rose communications regarding plant performance must reach us by August first following a fall or spring planting.




**BLANCHE MALLERIN**  
\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each



**BUCCANEER**  
\$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.50 each

# The Newer EVERBLOOMING ROSES

Here we offer what we consider to be the very best of the newer introductions. Those marked with the symbol  deserve a special word, for they have been winners in the All-America competition. This method of testing new Roses before they are offered to the public has been of great value to all concerned. Not only color but hardiness, disease resistance and many other important qualities are given full consideration.

**BLANCHE MALLERIN.** (Mallerin, 1941.) Pat. 594. White. Good new pure white Roses are very scarce. A lovely alabaster-white with a satiny sheen. The long buds are very stylish and open to full, well-formed blooms. Very fragrant. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 ea.

**BUCCANEER.** T. (H. C. Swim, 1952.) Pat. 1119. Grandiflora. The answer for a clear, bright, non-fading yellow. The buds are particularly lovely and tapering. Both bud and open blooms show pure yellow in all stages of development. The extreme vigor and hardiness of the plant gives us a height of about 4 feet, so it should be planted in the back of average-growing Hybrid Teas. \$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.50 each.

**CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG.** (W. E. Lammerts, 1940.) Pat. 455. Red. The color is warm red in the bud, opening to cerise in hot weather and spectrum-red in cooler weather. Its long and pointed bud opens into a long-lasting, fragrant flower 3 to 4 inches in diameter. Foliage deep green and highly resistant to mildew. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**CHRYSLER IMPERIAL.** (W. E. Lammerts, 1950.) Pat. 1167. Red. This new dark red All-America Rose is one of the grandest red Roses of all time. We feel one of its greatest attributes is the pleasing and satisfying fragrance at all times. The bud and open bloom are full and solid, with 40 to 50 wide petals carefully arranged. \$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.

**DIAMOND JUBILEE.** (E. S. Boerner, 1947.) Pat. 824. Buff-orange. Flowers very large, double and high centered; color intensified in cool weather. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**FORTY-NINER.** (H. C. Swim, 1949.) Pat. 792. Bicolor. Its contrasting colors are startling in their brilliance. The inside of the petals is a vivid Oriental red, while the outside is chrome-yellow, changing to straw-yellow. 25 to 40 petals; mildly fragrant. \$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.

**FRED HOWARD.** (Howard & Smith, 1951.) Pat. 1006. Yellow. A new rich yellow Rose, with the long buds penciled soft pink at the tips. Well-formed, broad flowers with 50 to 60 petals; golden orange when fully open. Long cutting stems. Very strong and hardy growth; tall. \$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.

**GOOD NEWS.** (Meiland, 1940.) Pat. 426. Peach-pink. Full, perfectly formed, tea-scented flowers of peach-pink changing to silvery pink. Vigorous grower and constant bloomer. An extra-good Rose. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**HEART'S DESIRE.** (Howard & Smith, 1940.) Pat. 501. Crimson. Intensely fragrant, large, double flowers of rich crimson-red on long stems. Dark green, leathery foliage. 25 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**HELEN TRAUBEL.** (H. C. Swim, 1951.) Pat. 1028. Pink. Unusually large, tapered buds open to fine cutting Roses on long stems. The color varies somewhat with the weather; sometimes the lively pink takes on an orange tone. Sturdy plants, blooming freely. Leathery, dull green foliage. \$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.

**KATHERINE T. MARSHALL.** (E. S. Boerner, 1943.) Pat. 607. Coral-pink. Long-pointed, coral-pink buds suffused yellow, opening to large, beautifully cupped blooms with a fruity fragrance. Tall, vigorous plants with good dark foliage. 22 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**LILY PONS.** (The Brownells, 1938.) Pat. 420. Long-pointed buds open to large, very double, fragrant flowers; the center is deep yellow shading out to palest yellow and white. Handsome foliage and profuse flowers. 50 petals. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**LOWELL THOMAS.** (Mallerin, 1943.) Pat. 595. Chrome-yellow. Large, well-formed blooms of chrome-yellow, that are long-lasting even in the sun. Strong plants reaching a height of 3 feet. 35 petals. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**GOOD NEWS**  
\$2.00 each;  
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**All Rose Prices in this  
catalogue are for 2-year,  
No. 1, Field-grown  
Dormant Roses**

### Group Offer S-55-3

**Blanche Mallerin.** Plant Pat. 594. White.  
**Buccaneer.** Plant Pat. 1119. Deep yellow.  
**Charlotte Armstrong.** Plant Pat. 455. Red.  
**Forty-niner.** Plant Pat. 792. Bicolor.  
**Good News.** Plant Pat. 426. Apricot-pink.

**All five for \$9.85 net**  
(Regular value \$11.50)



# The Newer Everblooming Roses

**MARY MARGARET McBRIDE.** (J. H. Nicolas, 1941.) *Pat. 537.* Pink. Buds deep coral-pink with gold base, opening to high-centered, double, clear pink flowers. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**McGREDDY'S SUNSET.** (McGredy, 1936.) *Pat. 317.* Brilliant orange base overlaid with velvety scarlet hues—the colors of a gorgeous sunset, as the name implies. Full-petaled and sweetly fragrant. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**MIRANDY.** (W. E. Lammerts, 1945.) *Pat. 632.* Dark red. Maroon-red buds and blooms of good substance; very fragrant. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**MISSION BELLS.** (Morris, 1949.) *Pat. 923.* Pink. Beautiful shade of deep salmon-pink opening to full blooms of clear shrimp-pink often measuring 5 inches across, which retain their brilliant color and fine form until the end. Attractive coppery green foliage. Tea fragrance. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**MOJAVE.** (H. C. Swim, 1953.) *Pat. 1176.* Mojave derives its name from the rich bright colors of the Painted Desert. It is the finest orange-colored Rose yet introduced, set aflame by highlights of scarlet and vermillion. The richly colored buds produce large flowers of about 25 petals, on long straight stems ideal for cutting. The plant grows very vigorously and taller than average. \$2.75 each; 3 or more, \$2.50 each.

**NEW YORKER.** (E. S. Boerner, 1947.) *Pat. 823.* Fiery red blooms on long stiff stems. Well-formed bud and bloom; very fragrant. Sturdy, disease-resistant plant. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**NOCTURNE.** (H. C. Swim, 1947.) *Pat. 713.* The long streamlined buds and open blooms are cardinal-red with very dark shadings of chrysanthemum-crimson. The bush grows big and sturdy. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**PARAMOUNT.** (H. C. Swim, 1950.) *Pat. 984.* Pink. A beautiful pink descendant from the famous Charlotte Armstrong has long been the aim of the hybridizer. This new salmon-pink, blended with rose and peach colors, is the answer. Grows tall, vigorously and bushy and is a prolific bloomer. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**PEACE.** (Meilland, 1945.) *Pat. 591.* Huge, full open bloom, which undergoes a transformation of coloring from cream-yellow to a delicate overall flush of pink suffused with softening yellow to alabaster-white as the blooms open. Plants grow more vigorously and are taller than most Hybrid Teas. Long-stemmed specimen blooms. \$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.

**PRESIDENT EISENHOWER.** (Jos. H. Hill Co.) *Pat. 1217.* Red. Beautifully formed, non-fading, fragrant rose-red buds produced on vigorous, medium-sized, moderately spreading plants. Flowers continuously; strong-stemmed. It has been called the modern American Beauty but actually it has much better color and form. \$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.

**QUEEN ELIZABETH.** (W. E. Lammerts.) *Pat. 1259.* A superb and delicately pure shade found only in the choicest *Bras-cattleya* orchid hybrids. The clear glowing blooms of Queen Elizabeth are a subtle blending of soft carmine-rose and dawn pink. Long lasting when cut or on the plant. They frequently bloom in clusters of four or five but each stem is long enough for individual cut-flower use; very fragrant. Grows 4 to 6 feet tall; height may be regulated by pruning or shaping to 3½ ft. The first of the new *Grandiflora* Rose classification. \$3.00 each; 3 or more, \$2.65 each.

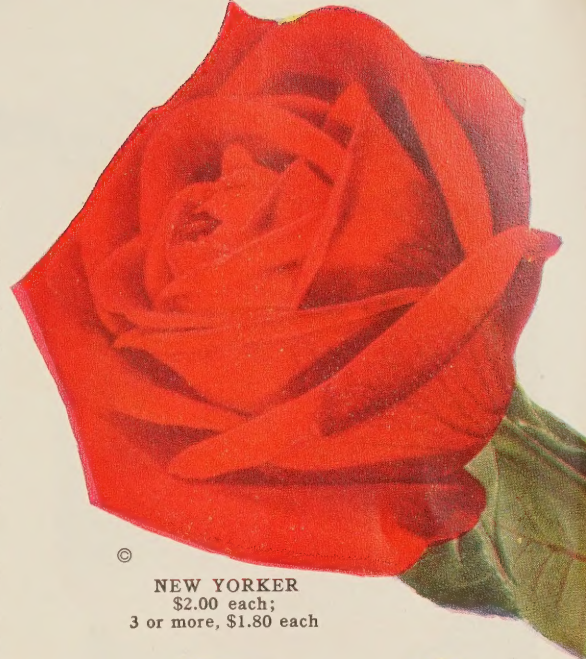
**RUBAIYAT.** (McGredy, 1945.) *Pat. 758.* Brilliant red. A red Rose producing a glorious riot of deep scintillating crimson in your garden. Long, shapely buds with a delicate crimson-pink exterior which open slowly, revealing rich crimson-red-rose color and elusive old Rose fragrance. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**SAN FERNANDO.** (Morris, 1948.) *Pat. 785.* Red. Scarlet and brilliant currant-red best describes its color. Full petalage and good form of both bud and open bloom. Very fragrant. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

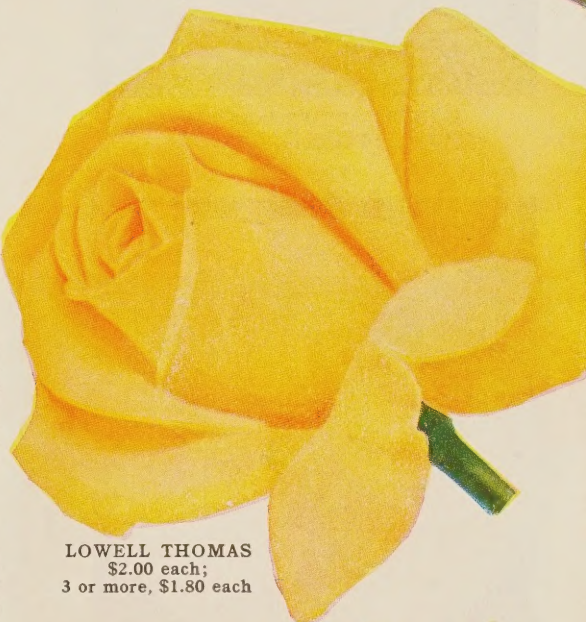
**SUTTER'S GOLD.** (H. C. Swim, 1950.) *Pat. 885.* Yellow. This remarkable Rose features exquisite long-pointed, bright yellow buds, richly shaded with orange and red. The opening flower is a lovely high-centered arrangement of up to 30 crisp, heavy-textured petals and it possesses a fragrance unequalled in any other yellow Rose. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**TALLYHO.** (H. C. Swim, 1949.) *Pat. 828.* A bicolor but the contrast is not great. Color on the inside of the petals is a varying but always delightful and unique shade of pink; outside is rich crimson. Buds before they unfold are deep cardinal-red. Long-stemmed blooms open slowly and well. Large flower; big, free-branching plant. Spicy fragrance. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**TIFFANY.** (R. V. Lindquist.) *Pat. 1304.* This very long-stemmed Hybrid Tea is a warm, clear pink, with golden yellow shading near the base of the petals. Double, high-centered blooms of rich texture and long lasting qualities. Alluring fragrance. Plants grow very vigorously. Handsome dark green foliage setting off the classic color and form of the flowers. \$3.00 each; 3 or more, \$2.65 each.



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**LOWELL THOMAS**  
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**PARAMOUNT**  
\$2.00 each;  
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Rose planting and cultural instructions will be sent with every order

## Group Offer S-55-4

**Fred Howard.** Plant *Pat. 1006.* Orange, pink shadings.

**New Yorker.** Plant *Pat. 823.* Scarlet.

**Paramount.** Plant *Pat. 984.* Salmon pink.

**Rubaiyat.** Plant *Pat. 758.* Rose red.

**All four for \$7.45 net**  
(Regular value \$8.25)

## Group Offer S-55-5

**Heart's Desire.** Plant *Pat. 501.* Crimson.

**Lowell Thomas.** Plant *Pat. 595.* Chrome-yellow.

**Mission Bells.** Plant *Pat. 923.* Pink.

**All three for \$5.25 net**  
(Regular value \$6.00)



# Everblooming HYBRID TEA Roses



**DUQUESA DE PENARANDA**  
\$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each



**SŒUR THERESE**  
\$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each

**MME. COCHET-COCHET**  
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From the long list of thousands of varieties we and others have brought into commerce over a period of many years, you will find in this section only those that have survived the test for plant vigor and blooming habits in most parts of the United States.

The everblooming Roses give beautiful flowers over the longest season, beginning about ten weeks after they are planted in spring and repeat right up until late frosts. Those planted in the fall produce their finest blooms the first year in early summer and continue throughout the season. Practically all Everblooming Hybrid Tea Roses are fragrant at some time of the day. Most of them are hardy all over the United States if protected in winter as recommended on the cultural instructions that accompany each shipment.

**SPACING:** Average 15 to 18 inches apart each way. This does not mean that Hybrid Tea Roses must be planted in a bed by themselves. When they are planted in quantities, then one should keep them together to simplify maintenance. However, delightful effects are obtained by planting groups of 3 to 5 near the edges of shrubbery borders even though it may be in partial shade. The tested varieties in this section will thrive in an ordinary garden soil capable of growing other deciduous plants, vegetables or even a good crop of weeds.

**HEIGHTS:** Where letter follows name, D indicates 1 to 1½ feet; T, 3 feet and over. All others are average height, 2 to 2½ feet.

**CHRISTOPHER STONE.** Red. (H. Robinson, 1935.) Bright velvety scarlet-red flowers of good form. Its golden stamens appear as the bloom opens. Damask fragrance. Vigorous, upright grower, free flowering, 35 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**CONDESA DE SASTAGO.** T. Bicolor. (P. Dot, 1932.) Cupped flowers of fiery copper inside and rich gold on the reverse. Enticing raspberry fragrance. Vigorous plants. 50 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**All Rose Prices in this  
catalogue are for 2-year, No. 1  
Field-grown Dormant Roses**



**DAYLIGHT.** \$1.75 each;  
3 or more, \$1.55 each

**CRIMSON GLORY.** (Kordes, 1935.) Red. A beautiful crimson flower shaded deep red and mellowed by a velvety nap. Wonderful fragrance. Wherever rosarians congregate, Crimson Glory is always acclaimed the very best dark, velvety crimson-red garden Rose for the United States. 30 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**DAYLIGHT.** Peach. (N. J. Hansen, 1939.) Very large, double, fragrant flowers of light peach color emerging from lovely buds. Center petals are soft satiny pink, the outer ones creamy white. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 ea.

**DUQUESA DE PENARANDA.** Bicolor. (P. Dot, 1931.) Spectacular double flowers of cinnamon-peach color; very fragrant. Strong plants with attractive foliage. 35 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**ECLIPSE.** Yellow. (J. H. Nicolas, 1935.) The very long, slender, and notably elegant yellow buds open to loose flowers with 25 to 30 golden yellow petals, which hold their color well. Fragrant. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 ea.

**EDITH NELLIE PERKINS.** Pink. (A. Dickson, 1928.) Shapely, two-toned pink flowers produced in great abundance. Color is coppery rose outside and soft salmon-pink inside. Mildly fragrant. Plants branch freely. 40 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.



**CHRISTOPHER  
STONE.** \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each

## Started Roses in Pots

For Local Sales and Display from mid-May through summer. Because they are potted in large containers holding 12 pounds of fertile soil, they naturally cost about 50c more per plant. The increased costs of transportation and crating practically prohibits shipping. Truck deliveries by special arrangement.



## EVERBLOOMING HYBRID TEA ROSES, continued

**ETOILE DE HOLLANDE.** Red. (Verschuren, 1919.) Large, crimson flowers with velvety finish and especially fine fragrance. Branching plants with very large, healthy foliage. We consider it the finest red Rose in the world. The very large, fragrant flowers are superb when in the half-open state. 35 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**GOLDEN DAWN.** Yellow. (P. Grant, 1929.) Glorious, double flowers of lemon-yellow, nicely formed and deliciously fragrant. Petals of bud edged carmine. 45 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**GOLDEN RAPTURE.** Yellow. (Kordes, 1933.) Large, high-centered flowers of golden yellow, with an old-Rose fragrance. Upright plants with large, glossy foliage. Well-formed flower. 40 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**GRUSS AN TEPLITZ.** T. Red. (Geschwind, 1897.) A large, bushy, shrub-like plant with medium-sized double blooms of brilliant crimson, velvety and fragrant. Yields quantities of flowers from early summer until frost. 33 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**KAISERIN AUGUSTE VIKTORIA.** White. (P. Lambert, 1891.) Creamy buds and perfect, snow-white blooms tinted lemon-yellow at center; fragrant. Medium upright growth. 99 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**LADY ALICE STANLEY.** Pink. (McGredy, 1909.) Very large, silvery pink flowers; sweetly fragrant. Deeply veined foliage. Over forty years old and still one of the best garden Roses. 75 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**LA FRANCE.** Pink. (Guillot fils, 1867.) Bright pink flowers with curled petals gleaming with silvery tints; intensely fragrant. The first Hybrid Tea Rose, La France has long held an esteemed place among rosarians. 60 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**MARCIA STANHOPE.** White. (Lilley, 1922.) A large, perfectly formed, semi-double, pure white Rose with magnificent golden stamens showing through. Good dependable white Roses are still scarce; we consider this one of the best. Very fragrant. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**MARGARET ANNE BAXTER.** White. (T. Smith, 1927.) Large buds and fragrant, snow-white flowers, sometimes tinted a soft flesh-pink. A fine plant yielding pretty flowers. One of the very best white Roses. We have been growing it for a long while and shall continue to do so. Our customers love it wherever we have recommended it. 75 to 100 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**MCGREDY'S SCARLET.** T. Red. (McGredy, 1930.) Large, loosely formed, vivid rose-red flowers. Plants are healthy and large. Slight tea fragrance. Blooms almost continually. 35 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**MCGREDY'S YELLOW.** Yellow. (McGredy, 1933.) Unfading canary-yellow flower of excellent form with a mass of gold anthers glorifying the center of the flower. Plants vigorous and free blooming, with holly-like foliage. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**MISS ROWENA THOM.** Pink. (Howard & Smith, 1927.) A big Rose on a big plant. Enormous buds open to great flowers of fiery rose shaded with mauve; fragrant. 55 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**MME. BUTTERFLY.** Pink. (E. G. Hill, 1918.) Perfectly formed, light pink flowers faintly tinted with gold. Richly perfumed. 30 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**MME. COCHET-COCHET.** Pink. (Mallerin, 1934.) Long-pointed, coppery pink buds, flushed with orange, open to fragrant, cupped flowers of soft salmon-pink, glistening with a satiny sheen. 20 to 40 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**MME. JULES BOUCHE.** White. (Croibier, 1911.) Perfectly formed, long-pointed buds and high-centered flowers of pure white with a slight pink tint in the center at first; moderately fragrant. Healthy plants, always in bloom. 34 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**MME. LEON PAIN.** Pink. (P. Guillot, 1904.) Lovely double, soft flesh-pink flowers of excellent form; moderately fragrant. Plants medium in height. 43 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**MRS. CHARLES BELL.** T. Pink. (Mrs. C. J. Bell, 1917.) A sport of Red Radiance with fragrant flowers of similar form but of an exquisite delicate salmon-pink coloring. 27 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**MRS. ERSKINE PEMBROKE THOM.** Yellow. (Howard & Smith, 1926.) Pure, unfading, fragrant yellow flowers of fine form. Beautiful growth. Very hardy. 43 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**MRS. PIERRE S. DU PONT.** Yellow. (Mallerin, 1929.) Nicely formed buds and double flowers of rich red-gold, almost orange in the depths of petals; spicy fragrance. The plants are bushy and the glossy foliage is attractive. 42 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.



**PRES HERBERT HOOVER**  
\$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each

**PINK DAWN.** Pink. (Howard & Smith, 1935.) A handsome deep rose-pink flower, opening to lively pink with an orange base; sweetly fragrant. Vigorous, upright habit. 60 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**PHYLLIS GOLD.** Yellow. (G. H. Robinson, 1935.) Nicely shaped buds of yellow with tints of red open to large, fragrant, high-pointed flowers of deep golden yellow. Petals of great substance hold their color well. A strong, upright grower with good foliage. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.



**SOUVENIR DE JEAN SOUPERT**  
\$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each

### GROUP OFFER S-55-6

#### Six Roses Not Available Elsewhere

These Hybrid Tea Roses of yesterday, so to speak, are still cherished by older rosarians everywhere. There must be many good reasons why they have proved their value over a period of from twenty to forty years and more. We continue their propagation, not only for sentimental reasons, but on the basis of sheer plant performance and beauty. (All these were favorites of the late L. C. Bobbink.)

**DAYLIGHT.** Peach.

**LADY ALICE STANLEY.** Silvery pink.

**MARGARET ANNE BAXTER.** White.

**PHYLLIS GOLD.** Yellow with tints of red.

**PRESIDENT MACIA.** Pink.

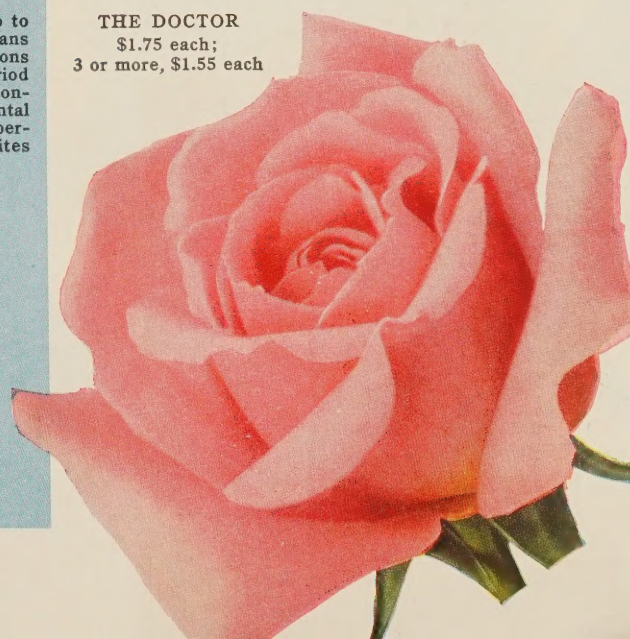
**SOUV. DE JEAN SOUPERT.** Golden yellow.

**All Six for \$8.35**

(Regular value \$9.75)



**MISS ROWENA THOM**  
\$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each



**THE DOCTOR**  
\$1.75 each;  
3 or more, \$1.55 each





**PHYLLIS GOLD**  
\$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each

**PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER.** T. Bicolor. (Coddington, 1930.) Large flowers of flaming scarlet and yellow in the bud, opening to soft creamy yellow with scarlet markings. Vigorous plants with flowers on 2-foot stems. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**PRESIDENT MACIA.** Pink. (M. Leenders, 1933.) Rose-bud of a lovely shade of pink, marked with heavy veins of darker pink. When open, the face of the petals is pale flesh warmed with a yellow flush toward the base, the reverse the rich pink of the buds. Fruity scent. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**RADIANCE.** T. Pink. (J. Cook, 1908.) Globular, cupped flowers of two-toned pink, light silvery tone inside and deeper on outside. Vigorous, free blooming. Deliciously fragrant. 23 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

### GROUP OFFER OF SINGLE ROSES

#### SPECIAL OFFER S-55-7

**Dainty Bess.** Pink.  
**Innocence.** White  
**Irish Fireflame.** Orange-crimson.  
**Isobel.** Pink.  
**Lulu.** Salmon  
**Vesuvius.** Red.

**ALL SIX for . . . \$8.85**

(Regular value \$10.50)



**DAINTY BESS**  
\$1.75 each;  
3 or more,  
\$1.55  
each

## EVERBLOOMING HYBRID TEA ROSES, continued

**RED RADIANCE.** T. Red. (Gude Bros., 1916.) A red sport of Radiance and exactly like its parent in everything but color; fragrant. 23 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**SOEUR THERESE.** T. Yellow. (F. Gillot, 1930.) Exquisite buds and semi-double, cupped flowers of golden yellow, with edge of petals spotted madder-carmine. Sweetbriar fragrance. Strong growth, good foliage. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**SOUVENIR DE JEAN SOUPERT.** Yellow. (Soupert & Notting, 1929.) Long, tapering, deep golden yellow buds slowly unfold to superb yellow blooms of perfect form. Unforgettable fragrance. Handsome, bronzy foliage. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**TALISMAN.** Bicolor. (Montgomery Co., 1929.) Variable flowers ranging from rich scarlet and gold to deep rose and pale yellow; fragrant. One of the first multi-colored Roses. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**THE DOCTOR.** Pink. (Howard & Smith, 1936.) Immense, long-pointed buds of sparkling pink slowly open to great flowers 5 to 6 inches across of exquisite, satiny, silvery pink. Fragrance is intense. 23 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**WILL ROGERS.** (Howard & Smith, 1936.) Pat. 256. Red. The 3-inch open flowers are packed with a large number of short and twisted petals of velvety black-crimson. 65 petals. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

### The "Radiance" Collection

#### GROUP OFFER S-55-8

**All Six for \$7.65 net**

(Regular value \$9.00)

For vigor of growth and abundance of bloom, the ever-reliable Pink and Red Radiance are still "tops." Here are four more varieties, in all colors and of equal habit, especially good for the beginner.

**McGredy's Scarlet.** Crimson.

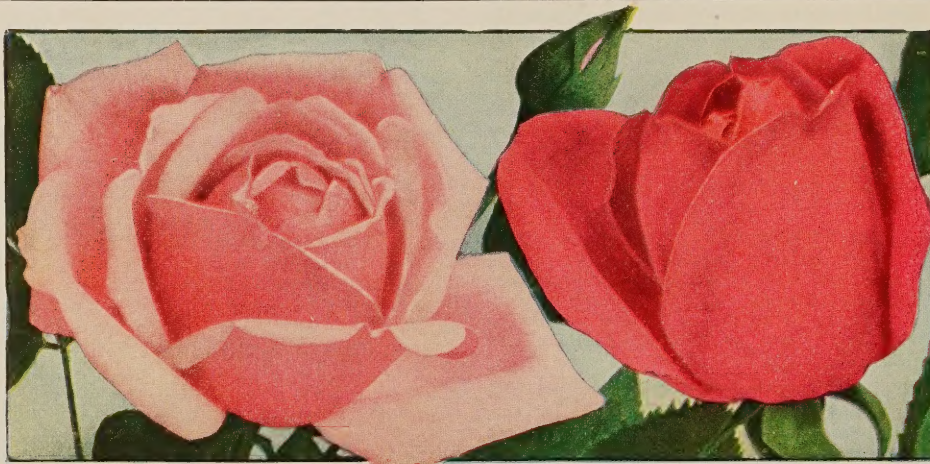
**Miss Rowena Thom.** Fiery rose shaded with mauve.

**President Herbert Hoover.** Bicolor.

**Radiance.** Silvery pink.

**Red Radiance.** Red.

**Soeur Therese.** Golden yellow, edged carmine.



**RADIANCE.** \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each

**RED RADIANCE.** \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each

## Delightful and Dainty SINGLE ROSES

### MONTHLY BLOOMING HYBRID TEAS

**DAINTY BESS.** (Archer, 1925.) Pink. This already old favorite owes its popularity to its delightfully informal appearance. The silvery salmon-pink petals, surrounding a maroon-colored center, are notched and fluted. 6 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**INNOCENCE.** (Chaplin, 1921.) White. The large, flat flowers are of the purest crystalline white, and the wine-red stamens tipped with gold accentuate the freshness of this vigorous, hardy single. 12 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**IRISH FIREFLAME.** (A. Dickson, 1914.) Orange-crimson flowers shaded pink and gold; pleasingly fragrant. A profuse bloomer, fine for table decoration. 5 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**ISOBEL.** (McGredy, 1916.) Pink. Flowers open with bronzy tones and develop shades of flaming orange-pink. One of the largest and finest single Roses. Rich, soft green foliage. 5 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**LULU.** (Easlea, 1919.) Salmon. Splendid buds of great length and delicacy of form, brilliantly shaded orange-pink and copper, borne on fine stems. Bush is very vigorous, free flowering, and highly resistant to disease. 8 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**VESUVIUS.** (McGredy, 1923.) Red. Poppy-like flowers of fadeless, glowing fiery crimson. Vigorous, free-flowering plants of bushy habit. Light green foliage of good leathery texture. 6 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each.

**Rose Planting and Culture  
Information will be sent  
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are for 2-year, No. 1, Field-grown  
Dormant Roses**



# B. & A. Favorite Ten

## EVERBLOOMING HYBRID TEA ROSES

Many of these varieties were introduced years ago and still are very popular because they can be depended on to produce dozens of perfect, long-stemmed, fragrant blooms for years to come. They begin blooming about ten weeks after a spring planting; those planted during late fall will begin blooming the following summer.

**CHRISTOPHER STONE.** Velvety scarlet-red.  
**CONDESA DE SASTAGO.** Red and yellow.  
**CRIMSON GLORY.** Deep crimson.  
**ECLIPSE.** Golden yellow.  
**ETOILE DE HOLLANDE.** Bright red.

**GOLDEN DAWN.** Sunflower yellow.  
**K. A. VIKTORIA.** White.  
**MME. JULES BOUCHE.** White.  
**MRS. P. S. DU PONT.** Yellow.  
**PINK DAWN.** Lively pink.



MME. JULES BOUCHE  
 \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each

Should one or two varieties become sold out as the season advances, we reserve the right to use similar kinds of equal or greater value.



ECLIPSE  
 \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each



CONDESA DE SASTAGO  
 \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each



PINK DAWN  
 \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each

Spaced about 16 to 18 inches apart each way ten may be planted in a bed approximately 3 by 7 feet. This selection represents a wide range of sparkling Rose colors which will all blend harmoniously in the same bed.



ETOILE DE HOLLANDE  
 \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each



CRIMSON GLORY  
 \$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each

**GROUP OFFER**  
**S-55-10**  
**All Six Roses in Color on**  
**this page**  
**FOR \$7.85 NET**



# Floribunda Roses

## (LARGE-FLOWERED POLYANTHAS)

INDIVIDUAL PRICES AS NOTED, LESS 10% ADDITIONAL QUANTITY DISCOUNT FROM THE EACH RATE FOR 20 OR MORE OF A KIND. \*

The term Floribunda means "flower in abundance" and accurately describes the outstanding characteristics of the class. The flowers resemble the Hybrid Teas in form, although they are smaller in size. Flowers are borne in graceful bouquet-like clusters and fill the garden with bright blooms from spring until fall.

Besides planting them informally in Rose beds for mass color, they are very much at home in front of taller, hardy shrub borders. Then too, the day is here when more Floribundas are used for permanent border or hedge planting instead of the more common privet, barberry, or perhaps the wild *Rosa Multiflora*. In the end, Floribundas are cheaper and far more colorful.

PLANTING DISTANCE: Average 15 to 18 inches.

HEIGHT: Average 44 to 30 inches.

PRUNING: Prune lightly to desired height, removing old cluster heads and thin out dead wood.



© FASHION. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each

**BABY CHATEAU.** (Kordes, 1936.) Red. Large, brilliant scarlet-crimson flowers in great clusters produced constantly. The plants are neat and compact in growth; very hardy and long-lived with comparatively little care. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**BETTY PRIOR.** (Prior, 1935.) Pat. 340. Pink. Outside of petals dark carmine, inside several shades lighter, resembling the pink dogwood. Borne in large clusters on strong stems. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**CARROUSEL.** Pat. 1066. Grandiflora. There are so many things one can say in praise of this very fine red Rose, confirming reports from all areas in the U.S.A.: "Its hardiness in cold and heat with no tendency to blue or mildew; great abundance of flowers with very long cutting stems, and its keeping ability when cut." Its dark red velvety petals fairly glow in the sunshine. Plant grows tall and is magnificent as a background or hedge. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**CHEERIO.** (Kordes, 1940.) A real deep pink Floribunda that blooms abundantly. Individual blooms frequently as large as Hybrid Teas. Extra good. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.



© GOLDBLOCKS. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each

### For Border or Low Hedge Planting

Use Floribunda Roses for a real flowering low "fence." Hardy and permanent, too. The use of just one variety is very effective when plants are spaced about 2 feet apart. See special discount for 20 or more of a kind.

### Floribundas

**GOLDBLOCKS.** Plant Pat. 672. Deep yellow.

**PINOCCHIO.** Plant Pat. 484. Salmon-pink.

**RED PINOCCHIO.** Plant Pat. 812. Red.

**SUMMER SNOW.** Plant Pat. 416. White.

**WORLD'S FAIR.** Plant Pat. 362. Red.

**GROUP OFFER S-55-11**  
1 each of all 5 varieties for . . . \$6.75  
(Regular value \$7.50)

**GROUP OFFER S-55-12**  
2 each of all 5 varieties for . . . \$12.50  
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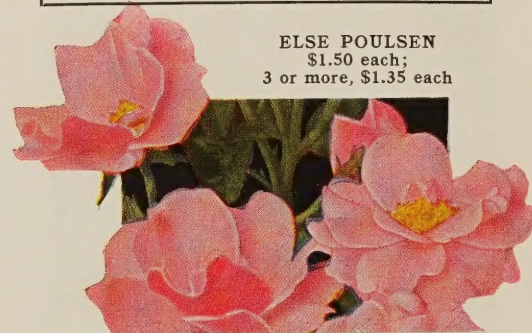
**GROUP OFFER S-55-13**  
3 each of all 5 varieties for . . . \$18.50  
(Regular value \$22.50)

### Grandiflora Roses

The question will be asked "What is a Grandiflora rose?" A Committee from All-America Rose Selections, Inc. was seeking a term for a new class of Everblooming roses covering awards now and in the future. Plants in this new classification must be relatively tall, attaining a height of about 5 or 6 feet, and be extremely vigorous. They must be very free-flowering with blooms in clusters but with individual stems long enough for cutting individually. Flower size is not necessarily as large as Hybrid Teas but larger than the average Floribunda. At times they may produce flowers on individual stems. Good examples are the new Grandiflora Queen Elizabeth (page 2), Buccaneer (page 4) and Carrousel (on this page).

It may be said there have been Everblooming varieties with relatively tall or shrubby growth heretofore but up until now they were generally termed "Shrub Roses" for lack of a more suitable term whereas we believe the new word Grandiflora will more adequately describe them. They should be planted in locations to allow for additional height and spread as compared to the average Hybrid Tea and Floribunda rose.

**ELSE POULSEN**  
\$1.50 each;  
3 or more, \$1.35 each



**NEW WORLD**  
\$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each



**BETTY PRIOR**  
\$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each



## FLORIBUNDA ROSES, continued

**DAGMAR SPATH.** (Wirtz & Eicke, 1936.) Large trusses of pure white flowers produced freely all summer. A sport of Lafayette and a good bedding Rose. It is the best white Floribunda we know of. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**DONALD PRIOR.** (Prior, 1934.) *Pat.* 377. Red. Large clusters of red flowers on branching plants about 3 feet high. Damask fragrance. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**ELSE POULSEN.** (D. T. Poulsen, 1924.) Pink. Single, bright rose-pink flowers of large size from erect, very thrifty plant. One of the oldest and best pink Floribundas. 3 ft. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**FASHION.** (E. S. Boerner, 1947.) *Pat.* 789. Gold Medal winner, Bagatelle, Paris, 1949. Pink. The Oriental red buds open gradually to 3½-inch blooms, giving us an entirely new Rose color best described as luminous coral-pink suffused with golden salmon. We believe it to be the most distinctive and outstanding color in this class. Color plates do not do it justice. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**FLORADORA.** (Tantau, 1943.) The ovoid buds are pinkish orange opening to a perfect camellia-formed bloom. These blooms are evenly colored a brilliant cinnabar-red touched with orange-scarlet and geranium. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**GOLDEN JUBILEE.** (Jacobus, 1947.) The many small urn-shaped buds are a pleasing golden yellow color and open to 3-inch, full-petaled Roses finishing alabaster-white. The plants are exceptionally hardy and healthy, with beautiful clean foliage. Please do not miss Golden Jubilee although not color illustrated. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**GOLDILOCKS.** (E. S. Boerner, 1945.) *Pat.* 672. Yellow. The buds in each of the many clusters are ovoid in shape, resembling miniature Hybrid Teas in form and a rich golden yellow in color, opening to about 3½ inches across. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**GRUSS AN AACHEN.** (Geduldig, 1909.) Blush. Yellow buds, and large flowers of light flesh-pink fading and finishing creamy white. A fine distinct bedding type, much like a Hybrid Tea. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 ea.

**IMPROVED LAFAYETTE.** (Howard & Smith, 1935.) Red. Sturdy, upright plants grow 2½ to 3 feet. Glowing red blooms, deeply suffused a vivid crimson. Fine bedding and hedge Rose; free flowering all summer and fall. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**JIMINY CRICKET.** *Plant Pat. App. for.* Floribunda. Bud is tangerine-red changing to a coral-orange as it opens and finishes pink-coral. Pleasing old Rose fragrance. \$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each.

**KING BOREAS.** (The Brownells, 1940.) Pure yellow. Here we have a real yellow Floribunda Rose, tried and tested for years. With its vigorous, healthy plant habits, there is no question about its ability to produce dozens of blooms at a time, continuously from June to November. The individual buds and flowers are almost perfect in form, with plenty of substance and petalage to make them last long either on the plant, as cut-flowers, or as boutonnieres. Even the foliage is beautiful and almost holly-like. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**LILIBET.** (Howard Rose Co., 1952.) *Pat.* 1209. An enchanting dawn-pink, which commemorates the childhood nickname of Queen Elizabeth II. The Empire-red bud opens to pink. The plant is shapely and symmetrical and very floriferous. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**MA PERKINS.** (E. S. Boerner, 1950.) *Pat.* 1143. Pink. This All-America winner for 1953 is a very noteworthy addition to our list of Floribundas. It is a sparkling coral-shell-pink color. We are particularly fond of the warm shell-pink color of the fully opened blooms. You will also note this is one of the most fragrant of all Floribundas. It is exceptionally hardy. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.



LILIBET. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each



GOLDEN JUBILEE  
\$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each



MA PERKINS  
\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each

### ROSE PRICES:

To obtain the "three rate"  
please order three or more of  
one variety to one address

### SPECIAL GROUP OFFERS OF FLORIBUNDA ROSES

**DAGMAR SPATH.** White.  
**GOLDEN JUBILEE.** Golden yellow.  
**IMPROVED LAFAYETTE.** Glowing red.  
**KING BOREAS.** Yellow.  
**MRS. R. M. FINCH.** Pink to blush and white.  
**NEW WORLD.** Dark red.  
**PINK SATIN.** Satiny pink.

**GROUP OFFER S-55-14**  
1 each of all 7 varieties for . . . \$9.00  
(Regular value \$10.50)

**GROUP OFFER S-55-15**  
2 each of all 7 varieties for . . . \$16.85  
(Regular value \$21.00)

**GROUP OFFER S-55-16**  
3 each of all 7 varieties for . . . \$24.75  
(Regular value \$31.50)

IMPROVED LAFAYETTE. \$1.50 each;  
3 or more, \$1.35 each



**PINOCCHIO**  
\$1.50 each;  
3 or more,  
\$1.35 each



### STARTED ROSES IN POTS

For Local Sales and Display from mid-May through summer. Because they are potted in large containers holding 12 pounds of fertile soil, they naturally cost about 50c more per plant. The increased costs of transportation and crating practically prohibits shipping. Truck deliveries by special arrangement.



**PINK SATIN**  
\$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each

## FLORIBUNDA ROSES continued

**MRS. R. M. FINCH.** (Finch, 1923.) Pink. Opening color is clear pink changing to blush, then white, so that a cluster shows all stages. Strong bushy plants 2½ to 3 feet. Blooms continuously. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**NEW WORLD.** Dark red. Introduced by Bobbink & Atkins, 1945. Hybridized by M. R. Jacobus, using the fine old Chateau de Clos Vougeot and the newer Crimson Glory as parents; the deep velvety red and maroon colorings in both combined to give us this valuable new variety. Strong, pleasing fragrance. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**PINK SATIN.** Introduced by Bobbink & Atkins, 1945. Has the color and texture of a lovely pink satin dress. Plants are strong and easy-growing. No sooner is the first crop of blooms produced than the buds for successive ones follow, even during hot summer weather. Has proved extremely hardy at the New York Botanical Gardens. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**PINOCCHIO.** (J. H. Nicolas, 1940.) Pat. 484. Pink suffused with golden salmon. Long sprays splendid for corsages and bouquets. A very prolific bloomer from late spring until late fall. Fruity fragrance. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**RED PINOCCHIO.** (E. S. Boerner, 1947.) Pat. 812. A velvety red member of the Pinocchio group. Flowers of Hybrid Tea form, with 25 to 30 petals, carried in clusters on good stems. A profuse bloomer. Grows about 2½ feet tall. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**ROSE ELFE.** (Kordes, 1937.) Pink. A very double form of Else Poulsen, silvery rose-pink in color. Gardenia-like flowers are about 2½ inches across, extremely double, coming freely all summer. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.



**WORLD'S FAIR**  
\$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each



**RED PINOCCHIO**  
\$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each

**SALMON SPRAY.** (P. Grant, 1923.) Large, salmon-pink flowers, reverse of petals carmine, borne in sprays of from 10 to 20 or more blooms. Grows taller than average, up to 4 feet, and because of the bushy, very vigorous plants Salmon Spray makes an excellent hedge or border Rose. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**SUMMER SNOW.** (C. H. Perkins, 1939.) Pat. 416. Pure white flowers borne in large clusters. Very neat and low-growing and an extremely prolific bloomer. Where masses of white are needed in the foreground, this is the Rose to use. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**VOGUE.** (E. S. Boerner, 1951.) Pat. 926. Coral. A new Floribunda with perfect blooms of Hybrid Tea style, 3 inches in diameter. The striking cherry-coral color is deeper than that of the popular Fashion. Spicily fragrant. Dark green, healthy foliage on a bushy, upright plant. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**WORLD'S FAIR.** (Kordes, 1938.) Pat. 362. Red. Large clusters of velvety black-scarlet flowers nearly 4 inches across, with 18 to 20 petals; fragrant. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**VOGUE**  
\$2.00 each; 3 or more,  
\$1.80 each



## Floribundas 5 NEW ALL-AMERICA ROSE SELECTIONS

**FASHION.** Plant Pat. 789. Coral-pink-gold.

**JIMINY CRICKET.** Plant Pat. App. for. Coral-orange.

**LILIBET.** Plant Pat. 1209. Dawn-pink.

**MA PERKINS.** Plant Pat. 1143. Coral-shell-pink.

**VOGUE.** Plant Pat. 926. Cherry-coral.

**GROUP OFFER S-55-17**  
1 each of all 5 varieties for . . . \$9.25  
(Regular value \$10.50)

**GROUP OFFER S-55-18**  
2 each of all 5 varieties for . . . \$17.65  
(Regular value \$21.00)



# HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES

ALL OF THESE HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES ARE \$1.75 EACH; 3 OR MORE, \$1.55 EACH, LESS QUANTITY DISCOUNT OF 10% FROM THE EACH RATE ON ANY 20 OR MORE HYBRID PERPETUALS

Perfection in size of flower, fragrance, disease resistance and strength of growth predominate in this class, and while most varieties flower only in June and July, many will repeat throughout the summer and fall, a few even repeating heavily enough to rival some of the Hybrid Teas. Varieties which repeat are indicated by an (R).

Their uses are varied. They can be grown as bedding Roses at a height of 3 to 4 feet, or allowed to grow into shrubs up to 6 feet in height. A few of the more vigorous growers can be trained as pillars, giving remarkable displays of bloom in June and July.

PLANTING DISTANCE: Average 2½ to 3 feet.

PRUNING: If desired as a bedding plant, cut down to 15 to 18 inches. For shrub type, 2 feet or over, as desired. For pillar Rose, allow to grow to desired height, cut out dead wood or enough to keep plant within bounds.

SUMMER PRUNING: Hybrid Perpetuals sometimes outgrow their allotted room, in which case cut the canes back to 1½ feet. We have noted this summer pruning encourages more repeat blooming.

**AMERICAN BEAUTY.** (Ledechaux, 1875.) Pink, shaded a smoky carmine; deliciously fragrant. 50 petals. This is not a "big red" Rose which people generally associate with the name American Beauty. See Henry Nevard, R.

**BARONESS ROTHSCHILD.** (Pernet, 1868.) Light pink, daintily tinted with white and pale rose. 40 petals.

**CAPTAIN HAYWARD.** (Bennett, 1893.) Scarlet-crimson; fragrant. Blooms freely in autumn. Considered by many to be the best red Hybrid Perpetual. 30 petals. R.

**DUCHESS OF SUTHERLAND.** (A. Dickson, 1912.) Long-pointed buds and blooms of warm pink, tinted lemon at base. 40 petals.

**FERDINAND PICHARD.** (Tanne, 1921.) An attractive variegated bloom with petals streaked pink and scarlet. Strong growing and very free flowering. Will sometimes repeat during the summer. 35 petals. R.

**FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI.** (P. Lambert, 1901.) Magnificent snow-white blooms. Repeats freely when established and pruned properly. The world's most popular white Rose. 35 petals. R.

**GENERAL JACQUEMINOT.** (Roussel, 1853.) Scarlet-crimson buds and clear red flowers; intensely fragrant. 45 petals. R.

**GEORG ARENDS.** (W. Hinner, 1910.) A most exquisite shade of soft pink. Flower resembles a Hybrid Tea. 25 petals. R.

**GLOIRE DE CHEDANE-GUINOISSEAU.** (Chedane-Pajotin, 1907.) Dark velvety crimson. 40 petals. R.

**HENRY NEVARD.** (F. Cant, 1924.) Crimson-scarlet; fine form; sweetly fragrant. 30 petals. This variety is frequently sold as the red American Beauty and properly so. The recurrent blooms resemble in color the popular conception of the old American Beauty greenhouse Rose about which many opinions exist. R.

**LOUISE CRETTE.** (C. Chambard, 1915.) Pure white, inside petals creamy white. Fully double blooms of excellent form. Blooms through summer. Healthy, bushy plants with few thorns. 35 petals. R.

**MRS. JOHN LAING.** (Bennett, 1887.) Clear pink; double; very sweet. Blooms continually. 45 petals. R.



GENERAL JACQUEMINOT  
\$1.75 each; 3 or more, \$1.55 each

**MRS. R. G. SHARMAN-CRAWFORD.** (A. Dickson, 1894.) Rosy pink, shading lighter toward base of petals. 40 petals. R.

**OSKAR CORDEL.** (P. Lambert, 1898.) Bright carmine; deliciously fragrant. A compact plant; remontant. 40 petals. R.

**PAUL NEYRON.** (A. Levet, 1869.) Dark lilac-rose of immense size; remarkable fragrance. 50 petals. R.

**PRINCE CAMILLE DE ROHAN.** (E. Verdier, 1861.) Dark crimson flowers, shaded black-maroon; delicious fragrance. 35 petals. R.

**ROGER LAMBELIN.** (Vve. Schwartz, 1890.) Irregular, semi-double, crimson flowers margined or streaked with white. 30 petals.

**ULRICH BRUNNER.** (A. Levet, 1882.) Large; bright carmine-red; very fragrant. 30 petals.

## POLYANTHA ROSES

Large clusters as in Floribundas, but flowers are smaller and more dainty. Growth is rather shorter, excellent for edging or mass planting. All Polyanthas are as nearly everblooming as Roses can be. They live and bloom year after year with comparatively little attention.

PLANTING DISTANCE: Average 15 inches.

HEIGHT: Average 15 to 18 inches.

PRUNING: Prune lightly to desired height, removing old cluster heads and thin out dead wood.

**CAMEO.** (de Ruiter, 1932.) Salmon. A distinct shade of shell-pink and salmon, with a glow of gold. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each; 10 or more, \$1.25 each.

**CAROL ANN.** (A. Kluis, 1940.) Pat. 707. Salmon-orange. Globe-shaped flowers in large clusters. The plants seldom attain a height of over 1 foot. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**CECILE BRUNNER.** (Vve. Ducher, 1881.) Blush. The "Sweetheart Rose." Small, exquisitely formed bud and flower of light pink with yellow base. It is the perfect Rose for nosegays and corsages. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**CRIMSON ROSETTE.** (Fred Howard, 1947.) Pat. 901. Red. The name describes both form and color. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**MARGO KOSTER.** (Koster, 1935.) Light orange, slightly flushed pink. Globe-shaped flowers. Seldom grows over a foot. Ideal for edging. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**ORANGE TRIUMPH.** (Kordes, 1937.) Large, double, scarlet-orange flowers in huge clusters. Good, glossy foliage. Considered "tops" in this class. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**PINK ROSETTE.** (Krebs, 1948.) Pat. 902. Very double, little flowers with petals arranged in the form of a dainty rosette. Soft pink color. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**SUNSHINE.** (Robichon, 1927.) Orange. The small but full-petaled blooms open golden orange, later overlaid with a soft pink sheen. Grows to about a foot. Pleasing, penetrating fragrance. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

### HYBRID PERPETUAL COLLECTION

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Should one or two varieties become sold out as the season advances, we reserve the right to use a similar kind.

OFFER S-55-20

SIX H.P.'s, our selection for \$8.25 net



ORANGE TRIUMPH  
\$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each

### Bobbink & Atkins' Roses in the New York Botanical Garden

To the thousands of Rose lovers who visit these world-famous Gardens in the Bronx, this small view of the Rose Garden will revive pleasant memories. Through the unfailing devotion of the late Mr. Bobbink, we have donated practically all the Rose plants. New and improved varieties are added yearly but most of the older ones are in fine condition, due to the care given them by the capable staff at the Gardens. Visitors are always welcome.





# Large-Flowered Hardy Climbing Roses



DREAM GIRL. \$2.25 each

**BLAZE.** LC. (Kallay, 1932.) Vivid scarlet flowers identical in color and form with Paul's Scarlet. Remontant under certain conditions. The strain we now grow reblooms later in summer and fall provided you simply pluck or pinch out the June blooms but allow the rest of the stems or laterals to remain on the canes. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**BOBBINK WHITE CLIMBER.** LC. (M. R. Jacobus, 1951.) Pat. 1163. We have found the autumn bloom good; the opening buds and petals show creamy to faint lemon-yellow; when the blooms are fully open, they finish white. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**COUNTESS OF STRADBROKE.** CHT. (Clark, 1928.) Very large, double, well shaped, intensely fragrant, dark glowing crimson. Free, recurrent bloom. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**DR. W. VAN FLEET.** LC. (Van Fleet, 1910.) Pink. Abundant long-stemmed, beautifully formed flowers of a soft pale shade of flesh-pink, the equal of a fine Hybrid Tea. Same growth habit and color as New Dawn, which is "ever-blooming" and taking the place of Dr. Van Fleet. MS. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**CLIMBING ROSES.** Think of their many uses and the hundreds of gorgeous blooms produced for garden effect and cutting for the home.

Our collection of Hardy Climbers is probably the most extensive in this country covering all types and colors; many are Everblooming and are gaining popularity year after year.

**PRUNING OF LARGE-FLOWERED CLIMBERS:** These varieties flower best on the older canes, so, contrary to the Rambler type, it is not advisable to cut out the canes which have flowered. Cut back the side shoots which have flowered, remove old worn-out canes, and train up only enough young canes to cover the required area.

**PLANTING DISTANCE:** Trellis or wall—6 feet. Pillars—as close as 3 feet, depending on the design.

The letters at the end of descriptions represent commencement of the blooming period in the vicinity of New York City: **E.**, from May 25 to June 3; **MS.**, from June 4 to 12; and **L.**, after June 12.

**Abbreviations:** CHT., Cl. Hybrid Tea; LC., Large-flowered Climber. These refer to the classes.

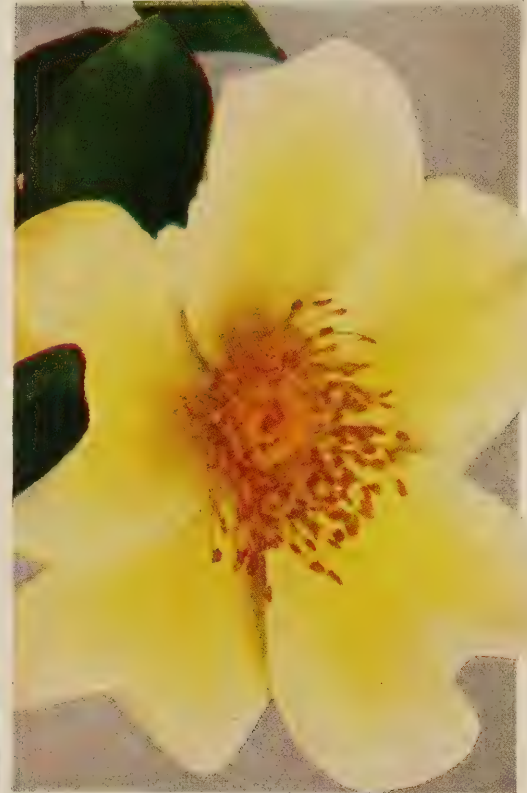
**DREAM GIRL.** LC. (M. R. Jacobus.) Pat. 643. Pink. The comparatively new Everblooming Hardy Climbing and Pillar Rose. The outside petals of the opening buds are very light apple-blossom-pink. It takes several days for the buds to open and show the salmon-pink inside petals. The color tones actually deepen until the blooms fully open in sunlight. Pleasing spicy unforgettable fragrance. Plants established for a year or more will produce a fine crop of flowers in early June followed by a succession of blooms throughout the summer. Please do not expect full-sized blooms of typical color the first year or season after planting (this holds true with practically all Climbing Roses.)

Use it on trellises, arbors, posts and pillars, for covering fences, stone walls, tree stumps, banks and everywhere Climbing Roses of moderate and pliable growth are so readily adaptable. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**DR. HUEY.** LC. (Thomas, 1914.) Red. A spectacular Climber yielding an abundance of large, ruffled, maroon-red flowers both singly on long stems and in tremendous clusters. There is no color in the Rose kingdom to match this deep, solid, velvety maroon. MS. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.



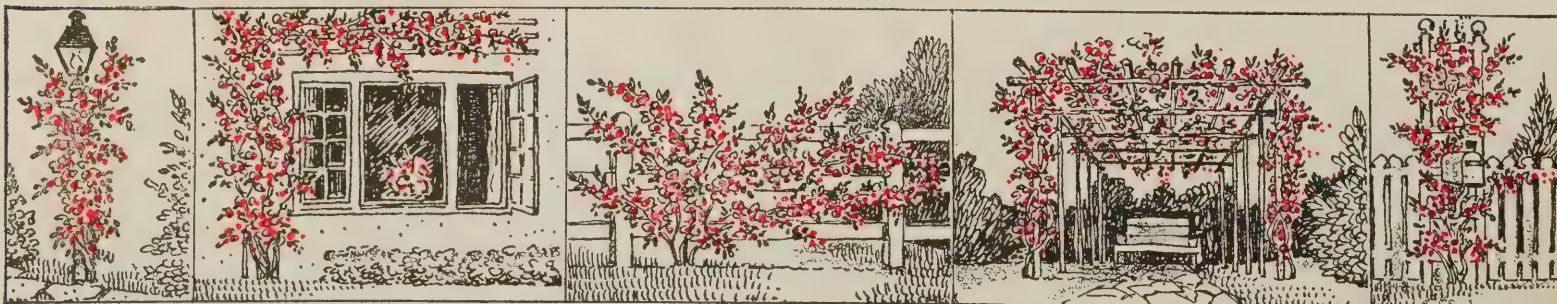
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\$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each



MERMAID. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each

**ELEGANCE.** LC. (Brownell, 1938.) Yellow. Flowers are spectrum-yellow in center, shading to a pale yellow on the outer petals, deepening in color as they open, carried on stiff stems 1 to 3 feet long. Huge exhibition flowers, Hybrid Tea in form. MS. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**GOLDEN CLIMBER (MRS. ARTHUR CURTISS JAMES.)** LC. (The Brownells, 1933.) Yellow. A strong climbing plant which does not bloom until it is thoroughly established for two or more years, when it produces many perfectly formed, golden yellow flowers of Hybrid Tea quality and fragrance, on 1½ to 2-foot stems. MS. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.





## LARGE-FLOWERED HARDY CLIMBING ROSES, continued

**GOLDEN GLOW.** LC. (The Brownells, 1937.) Pat. 263. The pure spectrum-yellow Hybrid-Tea-like flowers are 3½ to 5 inches in diameter, emitting a tea fragrance. Perfectly hardy. We consider it about the best all-round yellow Climber. MS. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**HIGH NOON.** Pat. 704. A bright yellow Ever-blooming Climber. Although not a rampant climber the plant grows compactly to 8 or 10 feet. Unlike most climbers, High Noon does not quit after the spring burst of bloom but continues to produce well-shaped buds and brilliant flowers the rest of the season.\* \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

\*Not too hardy in cold climates north of New York City.

**INSPIRATION.** Cl. Introduced by Bobbink & Atkins in 1946 for M. R. Jacobus, hybridizer. Everblooming. Successive crops follow from June on through October and show the same sparkling pink tones as found in that fine old Hybrid Tea, Pink Radiance and the once-blooming Mary Wallace climber. In many areas, it is stronger growing than our Dream Girl and produces more and longer canes and branches. It is very hardy, reliable and free-blooming in all sections. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**MERCEDES GALLART.** LC. (Munne, 1932.) Red. Everblooming. The first crop in June is cerise-red changing to magneta, but in mid-summer and autumn the blooms are clear bright crimson, intensely fragrant. Hardy. E. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**MERMAID.** LC. (W. Paul, 1918.) Unspeakably beautiful single flowers of great size, pure ivory-white, with cream and lemon center and an immense cluster of stamens. Blooms steadily throughout the season, producing clusters of buds on the tips of the new growth. Foliage glistening, almost evergreen. Needs winter protection in the North. Do not prune this Rose—let it grow. Under favorable conditions it climbs, but is best as a rambling shrub. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**MME. GREGOIRE STAEHELIN.** LC. (P. Dot, 1937.) Pink. Also called "Spanish Beauty." Huge, fragrant, delicate pink flowers, stained crimson. Blooms very early. E. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**MRS. WHITMAN CROSS.** LC. (Cross and Hansen; introduced by Bobbink & Atkins.) The unusual vivid orange colors, with an overlaid pinkish sheen, almost striped at times, are beautiful to behold. Reblooms in late summer and fall. The customers' natural enthusiasm for this Rose of unusual coloring has increased each year since we introduced it in 1943. It really is a beauty! MS. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

## Ruby Glow

### Plant Patent 1234

See front cover illustration.

(M. R. Jacobus.) Introduced 1955 by Bobbink & Atkins. This **NEW** everblooming "red" Climbing and Pillar rose should have a great future. The color is spectrum red and holds up well in the heat of summer and the cool of fall, never bluing or fading. The plant is very healthy and hardy even in cold climates. While not a rampant growing Climber, it gets up to 6 or 7 feet in a couple of years; it does make a neat and strong growing Pillar rose in a short time, producing an abundance of fragrant, semi-double blooms. We have not yet seen any red Climber like it in color or habit. \$2.50 each; 3 or more, \$2.20 each. **NEW** and supply limited.



INSPIRATION. Everblooming. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each

**NEW DAWN.** LC. (Somerset Rose Nursery, 1930.) Apple-blossom-pink. Everblooming. The first hardy everblooming Climber. It is a sport of the well-known Dr. W. Van Fleet. New Dawn has taken its place because of strong everblooming characteristics and equally vigorous and healthy growth habit. L. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER.** LC. (W. Paul, 1916.) Intensely red flowers, borne in loose clusters. Unquestionably hardy and reliable. MS. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 ea.

**SILVER MOON.** LC. (Van Fleet, 1910.) White. Handsome foliage and big saucer-shaped, moon-white flowers with brilliant yellow centers. MS. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**TEMPTATION.** LC. (M. R. Jacobus.) Everblooming. The rose-red Climber introduced by Bobbink & Atkins in 1950. Like Dream Girl and Inspiration, it is very hardy. It grows vigorously but not too rampant. The blooms, on single stems and in clusters, are very full and long lasting. When it is established for a year or two, the distinctive new carmine-rose-pink color tones will please the lover of Climbing Roses. In the fall it produces those vivid red blooms that everyone loves. We ask you not to expect full-sized blooms of typical color the first June after planting. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

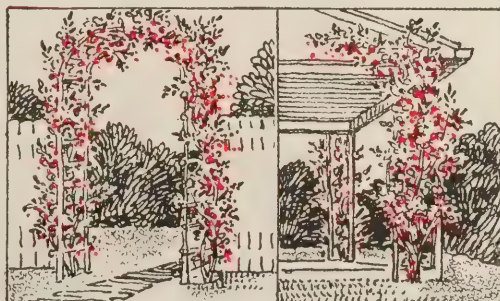
**WHITE DAWN.** LC. (Longley.) New Everblooming White. Produces hundreds of pure white, double blooms resembling gardenias, and after the plant is well established it will be everblooming. Do not, however, expect plentiful, repeated bloom the first year after planting. Developed from a cross of New Dawn and Lily Pons. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.



Blooms from the red everblooming climber, TEMPTATION, that were cut and photographed in September showing its strong, reblooming characteristics. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

### ROSE PRICES

To obtain the "three rate" please order 3 or more of one variety to one address.



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# HARDY RAMBLER ROSES

While the larger-flowered Climbing Roses seem to be far more popular at present than the true Ramblers, we do not like to see them overlooked because, in our opinion, there is nothing finer than masses of charming clustered Ramblers.

**CHEVY CHASE.** (N. J. Hansen, 1939.) *Pat.* 443. Red. Bloom lasts for several weeks during May and June in this section, the rich crimson color changing slowly with age but never becoming objectionable. It is positively mildew-proof. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 ea.



CHEVY CHASE. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each

**GHISLAINE DE FELIGONDE.** (Turbat, 1916.) It will make 8 to 10-foot, almost thornless canes which bear heavy crops of shapely rich yellow buds changing slowly to creamy white when fully open. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

## PEMBERTON PILLAR OR SHRUB ROSES

These fine old varieties classed as Hybrid Musk Roses begin blooming in June and continue throughout the summer and into the fall season. They thrive almost anywhere and require very little care. Heights range from 4 to 8 ft. For use as pillars, planting along fences or as strong Shrubs without support they are excellent provided they are kept within bounds by pruning lightly.

**PRUNING:** Retain old wood and new wood. Cut out only dead and surplus wood.

**PLANTING DISTANCE:** 3 to 4 feet apart.

**BISHOP DARLINGTON.** (Capt. Thomas, 1926.) Pink. Large, semi-double flowers of lovely flesh-pink suffused with yellow at base of petals. A self-supporting, strong, shrub-like plant growing 3 to 4 feet high and as wide; continuous bloomer. Extra fine. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**CLYTEMNESTRA.** (J. H. Pemberton, 1915.) Coppery buds; small, ruffled, open blooms change to a light buff-pink. Flexible pillar or trailer. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

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**CORNELIA.** (J. H. Pemberton, 1925.) Pink. Very double flowers, about 3 inches across, of strawberry-pink, flushed yellow, borne in abundant, flat sprays. Vigorous shrub habit or pillar. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**MORNING STARS.** (M. R. Jacobus.) Introduced by Bobbink & Atkins 1949. The chaste white blooms are about 3 inches across, borne in large clusters of six to nine perfectly formed, Gardenia-like blooms opening gradually one after the other. One cluster is sometimes an artistic arrangement all by itself. The petalage is firm and waxy. It is a self-supporting pillar or shrub growing to a height of about 4 feet. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**PENELOPE.** (J. H. Pemberton, 1924.) Blush. A perpetual-flowering cluster Rose of shrub habit. The flowers are shell-pink, but turn pure white shading to lemon around centers as they age. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**PROSPERITY.** (J. H. Pemberton, 1919.) White, rosette-like flowers, tinted with pale pink. Borne in profuse, erect clusters. Vigorous grower and continuous bloomer. Pillar to 6 to 8 feet. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**REICHSPRASIDENT VON HINDENBURG.** (P. Lambert, 1933.) A large, brilliant pink flower with an overcast of salmon. Intensely fragrant. Used as a low pillar, it will produce flowers from late spring until frost. Too bad this wonderful Rose was introduced with such a cumbersome name. We suggest you change its name after seeing it bloom. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.



ROSA WICHURAIANA. \$1.00 each

## TRAILING ROSES

Slender pliable canes enable them to lie close to the ground. Their shiny foliage and beautiful flowers make these Roses ideal covers for banks, hillsides and waste places.

Dream Girl (p. 14) also makes a good trailer if allowed to go untrained. Plant all these varieties about 3 feet apart each way for quick ground-cover effect.

**CARPET OF GOLD.** LC. (The Brownells, 1939.) *Plant Pat.* 541. Yellow. A creeping or trailing plant covering itself with brilliant yellow, double, fragrant flowers 2 to 3 inches across. Also good trained as a climber. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**MAX GRAF.** HRug. (Bowditch, 1919.) Pink. Handsome foliage and sprays of large, single, shining pink flowers. Extra hardy; fine for covering exposed banks. Foliage 75% Rugosa. \$1.50 each; 10 for \$12.50; 25 or more, \$1.10 each.

**RUGOSA REPENS ALBA** (R. Pauli.) Species. White. Fine trailer with glossy foliage and big, snowy flowers in clusters. Vigorous and long-lived. Foliage 75% Rugosa. \$1.00 each; 10 for \$9.00; 25 for \$20.00.

**WICHURAIANA** (The Memorial Rose.) Species. White. A matted creeper with glossy, almost evergreen, small shiny foliage. Sprays of small white, fragrant flowers. \$1.00 each; 10 for \$9.00; 25 for \$20.00 net; 50 for \$35.00 net.



MAX GRAF. \$1.50 each

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# Shrub Roses, Rugosas and their Hybrids

These very interesting Rose varieties—some new, some old—have long been specialties with Bobbink & Atkins. Charming landscape effects are achieved with these Roses when they are planted in shrubby borders or in small groups where Roses are desired instead of the more common flowering shrubs. They do not require special soil preparation or coddling of any kind. They are hardy and disease-resistant as the Rugosas and offer a wider color range and variation in height. Many are everblooming or remontant, as noted, producing plenty of good blooms intermittently after the June crop. Space them about 3 to 4 feet apart; prune or cut out the old and worn-out canes but very little pruning is required the first two years. If occasional canes or stout branches get too tall, prune them to the desired height and width any time it suits you.

**AGNES.** (Saunders, 1900.) Coppery yellow buds becoming pale amber-gold; sweetly fragrant. Freely produced. 6 ft. 25% Rugosa. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**AUTUMN BOUQUET.** (M. R. Jacobus.) New. An everblooming pink shrub Rose introduced by Bobbink & Atkins. It is seldom that a good husky shrub Rose, attaining a height of about 4 feet, produces successive crops of glorious blooms from June right on through October. The color of both bud and open bloom is a pronounced carmine-pink. They are borne singly on long stems as well as in clusters. A shrub Rose of this type has many uses in a border of other flowering shrubs where you want a good Rose against a background of deciduous foliage. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**BLANC DOUBLE DE COUBERT.** (Cochet-Cochet, 1892.) Snowy white, double flowers. 4 to 5 ft. 100% Rugosa. The best double white Rugosa and practically the same habits as *R. alba plena*. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**DR. ECKENER.** (Berger, 1930.) Bicolor. Large, fragrant, semi-double flowers of coppery rose and golden yellow; very fragrant. Really a Hybrid Tea flower on a shrubby plant. Very hardy and extra good in every other respect. Remontant. 5 to 6 ft. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**F. J. GROOTENDORST.** (de Goey, 1918.) Red. Small, bright red, fringed flowers. Large clusters freely produced throughout the growing season. 4 ft. 50% Rugosa. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**FRAGRANT BEAUTY.** (M. R. Jacobus.) New. An everblooming carmine-red shrub Rose introduced by Bobbink & Atkins, 1950. This very hardy Rose quickly attains a height of about 4 to 5 feet and produces dozens of glorious blooms for cutting and landscape effect from June right on through October. Fragrant Beauty is a close relative of Autumn Bouquet. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**HON. LADY LINDSAY.** (Niels J. Hansen, 1938.) An everblooming shrub Rose growing about 3 feet high and wide. The stylish, tapering buds are buff-yellow with golden pink predominating as they age and open. Excellent for dooryard planting or in front of taller shrubs in a border. Our best low shrubby Rose. 30 to 40 petals. Remontant. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**HUGONIS.** (*Rosa Hugonis*.) (China.) Light yellow flowers, 2 inches across. Grows 6 to 8 feet tall. Charming early-flowering shrub. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**ORATAM.** (M. R. Jacobus, 1939.) Orange-copper Hybrid Damask. Grows 5 to 6 feet high and produces dozens of blooms with delicious Damask fragrance. Use it as a specimen shrub or as a solid border or hedge planting to produce a most attractive color effect in June. Foliage is exceptionally beautiful and handsome. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**PINK GROOTENDORST.** (Grootendorst, 1923.) Pink. Clusters of small, fringed, light shell - pink, carnation - like blooms the entire season. 4 ft. 50% Rugosa. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**RUGOSA.** Rosy red. Large, single flowers in shades of rosy crimson. Repeats during the season. Attractive large red berries. 100% Rugosa. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**RUGOSA ALBA.** A white form of Rugosa. Remontant. 5 ft. 100% Rugosa. \$1.50 each; 3 or more, \$1.35 each.

**RUGOSA ALBA PLENA.** White. A well-shaped double Rugosa Alba. Highly recommended. 4 ft. 100% Rugosa. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.



**FRAGRANT BEAUTY**  
\$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each

**SARAH VAN FLEET.** (Van Fleet, 1926.) Buds and flowers vivid rose-pink; fragrant. Blooms all summer and fall, therefore remontant. 7 to 8 ft. 75% Rugosa. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.

**SIR THOMAS LIPTON.** (Van Fleet, 1900.) Snowy white flowers of good size and unusual quality. Blooms freely all season. 6 to 8 ft. 75% Rugosa. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 ea.

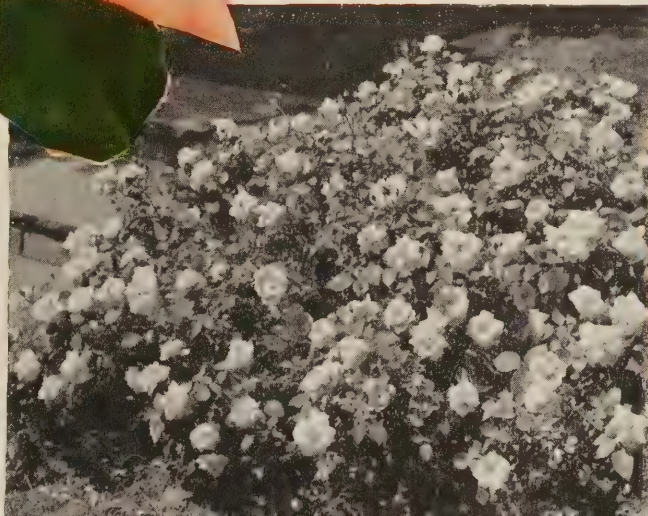
**VANGUARD.** (Stevens, 1932.) Flowers large, double, orange-salmon, on strong stem. Vigorous and hardy. This fine Rose can be grown as a large shrub or trained as a moderate climber. Attractive foliage, with a heavy crop of lovely flowers two years from planting. 6 to 8 ft. 25% Rugosa. \$2.00 each; 3 or more, \$1.80 each.



A HEDGE OF RUGOSA ROSES



**HON. LADY LINDSAY**  
\$2.00 each; 3 or more,  
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**ROSA HUGONIS**  
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## 5 Good Moss Roses

**CRESTED MOSS.** Bright rose-pink.  
**HENRI MARTIN.** Shining crimson.  
**MOUSSEUX ANCIEN.** Pink.  
**SALET.** Rosy pink.  
**WALDTRAUT NIELSEN.** Clear deep pink.

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**JEANNE DE  
 MONTFORT**

\$2.25 each;  
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**H**ISTORY, sentiment, poets and scribes are all entwined with these old roses, and the fact that we moderns can have in our gardens the Roses so loved by the ancients, adds much to their attractiveness. These Roses do not belong in beds of the Modern Hybrid Teas but are best in the background and interplanted among other shrubs in the shrub border. Being shrubs in habit they should have about 3 feet between them.

Although most of them bloom but once each year they provide splendid crops of unusually attractive and, in most cases, intensely fragrant flowers in early summer, followed by interesting fruit (hips). There are no other flowering plants to compare with the exquisite beauty of the Mosses, the distinctiveness of the striped and deep violet Gallicas and the delicious fragrance of the Centifolias and Damasks.

**PRUNING:** Flowers are borne on old wood. As the plants age, thin out old wood in the early spring, saving the best 1-year and 2-year stems; shorten laterals. For very fine flowers, cut down 2½ to 3 feet each spring.



**BLANCHE MOREAU.** (Moreau-Robert, 1880.) Heavily mossed buds and white, double flowers, tinged with pink in the center, borne in clusters. Very vigorous and free flowering. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**CAPITAINE JOHN INGRAM.** (Laffay, 1854.) Dark red double blooms of medium size. The lovely buds are well mossed. Vigorous, free-blooming. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**CRESTED MOSS.** It has been called Cristata and Chapeau de Napoleon. Although not a true Moss, the calyx of the bloom is so remarkably fringed and frilled that it cannot be assigned to any other class. Large, and bright rose-pink. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**GLOIRE DES MOUSSEUX.** (Laffay, 1852.) Old authorities claimed this to be finest of all Mosses. The buds are splendidly mossed and the imbricated pink flowers are very lovely. Plants are vigorous and productive. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**HENRI MARTIN.** (Laffay, 1863.) Shapely buds and large, shining crimson, semi-double flowers. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**JEANNE DE MONTFORT.** (Robert, 1851 or 1854.) Large, flat, semi-double flowers of clear pink, edged with silver. A tall, vigorous grower; very free flowering. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

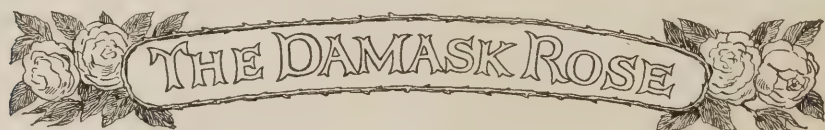
**LOUIS GIMARD.** A very good, full, brilliant orchid and mauve-pink Moss Rose. The long stems are heavily clothed with moss and it is a free bloomer and easy grower. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**MME. LOUIS LEVEQUE.** (Léveque, 1898.) While this is a modern variety compared to many others we offer, it is now considered, from a standpoint of size, perfume and mossiness, to be one of the finest of all times. The color is a brilliant salmon-pink. Extraordinary perfume. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**MOUSSEUX ANCIEN.** The delicate pink flowers are shaded darker toward the center. The sepals are beautifully mossed, making it very lovely in the bud stage. One of the finest of the Old Mosses. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**SALET.** (Robert, 1854.) One of the Perpetual-flowering Mosses which bloom again in autumn if given special care. The flowers are rosy pink with blush edges. The autumn bloom is unusually good. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**WALDTRAUT NIELSEN.** Large, clear deep pink Moss. One of the best. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.



The Damask Roses are very hardy and make robust growth, clothed with large, rough, light green leaves. Their flowers are very freely produced and are generally borne in trusses of three or more. The fame of their powerful fragrance is only one of their attributes.

**KAZANLIK** (*Rosa damascena trigintipetala*). Southeastern Europe. A semi-double form of the *Rosa damascena* grown in the Balkans for the production of attar of roses. 3 to 4 feet. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**MARIE LOUISE.** Large, double flowers of rich deep pink. They are intensely fragrant and beautifully formed. Bushy, shrubby growth. The most desirable of the Damask family. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**MAIDEN'S BLUSH.** (Kew, 1797.) Unquestionably one of the loveliest of all the old Roses. There is a freshness about its rosy white color, shaded to a fine salmon-pink at the base, that is not equaled in any other variety. Pronounced fragrance. Maiden's Blush is probably a hybrid of *Rosa alba* (York Rose) and therefore rather difficult to classify. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

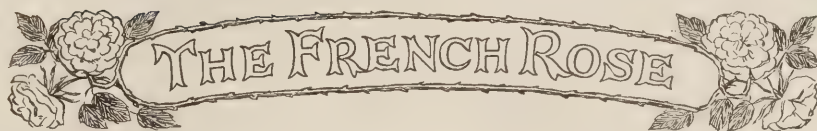
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# Old-Fashioned Roses, continued



Centuries ago the only hardy garden Roses were a few groups of once-blooming types and probably the most popular of them were the Gallicas, or so-called French Roses.

**COUPE D'HEBE.** (Laffay, 1840.) From deep rose-pink to pale tones; full cupped flower; very fragrant. Vigorous growth. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**duc de Guiche.** Large, double flowers of a curious orchid shade. An oddity of great interest. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**JEANNETTE.** (Descemet, 1880.) Double flowers of bright light red, fading gradually to light rose-pink. An attractive variety. While the French term this "light red," it is really a gorgeous combination of vermillion and old-rose-pink. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**CEILLET PARFAIT.** (Foulard, 1841.) Medium-sized, very double flowers of pale blush-pink, striped with red and crimson. Resembles a scarlet bizarre carnation. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**PRESIDENT DE SEZE.** (Mme. Hébert.) Lilac-red, shaded violet-orchid—most unusual color found in no other Rose. Very large, full, magnificent flowers in great profusion practically covering the plant. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**ROSA GALLICA.** Ancestor of all the French Roses and, in fact, there is Gallica blood in most every modern hybrid Rose. Large, single, dark pink flowers carried on erect bushes 2½ to 3 feet tall. Cut them for home decoration, arrange them in a low bowl, and you have a "replica" of the finest paintings by the old masters. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**ROSA MUNDI.** (Vibert, 1875.) Rather large, semi-double flowers of white or pale pink, broadly striped red and dark rose. Some petals may be all white, others all red, some half white and half red, and some evenly striped. Altogether they form one of the loveliest color combinations. This is the Rose usually sold as York and Lancaster and a far more colorful and interesting Rose. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**TRICOLORE DE FLANDRE.** (Van Houtte, 1846.) The double, well-shaped flowers are lilac-white, striped with pink, purple, and crimson; fragrant. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.



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## 5 OLD-FASHIONED ROSES

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**MUTABILIS** (*Rosa mutabilis*). China. This unusual species gives flowers of several colors on the one plant. Large, single flowers of rose-pink, yellow, buff, and orange are produced all summer. Bushy plant 2 to 3 feet high. Very scarce. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**ROSA ALBA.** York Rose. Large, flat, pure, white blooms with yellow centers, varying from single to semi-double. The tissue-like petals of this lovely old Rose are quite distinct, as is the gray-green wood and glaucous foliage. This historical Rose is always a "must have" for collectors of old Roses. Tall growth. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**R. ECAE.** (*R. Primula*). (Turkestan.) Pale yellowish flowers, 1 to 1½ inches across, borne freely along the erect leafy branches very early in the season. Prickly stems 4 to 5 feet tall, with finely divided foliage which, when wet, emits a strong odor of formic acid. Its shiny dark green leaves and red thorns on the branches make it very attractive the whole year round. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

**R. EGLANTERIA** (*R. rubiginosa*). Eglantine; Sweet-brier. Bright pink flowers in small clusters. Noted for fragrance of the young foliage. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

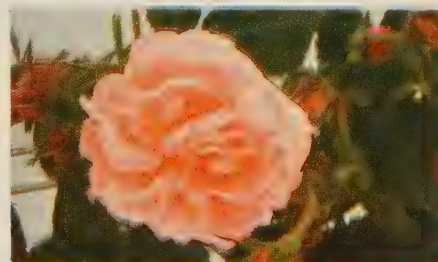
**ROSA SPINOSISSIMA.** White. The original Scotch Rose. Flowers usually white, but sometimes pink or yellowish. Very fragrant. An excellent hedge subject. It is the sweetest scented of all our wild Roses. 3 feet. \$1.25 each; 10 for \$10.00; 25 for \$18.75.

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**CABBAGE** (*Rosa centifolia*). This is the original Provence Rose, with double, nodding flowers of light pink, paling at the edges soon after opening. The name "Cabbage" is suggested by the incurved globular form—not the size. The blooms are no larger than a small Hybrid Tea flower. \$2.25 each; 3 or more, \$2.00 each.

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**ROSE DES PEINTRES.** (Cabbage.) The pink rose of the old  
Dutch Painters.  
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## Rosa Multiflora

### Roses for Living Fences and Borders

The wild Rose of Japan and Korea may be used as a tall, dense hedge. It produces very small white flowers in June and red fruits in fall on older plants. It is primarily used on large properties and farms but is not always suitable for medium-sized or small gardens.

Plant 18 inches apart in a straight row; e.g. 50 plants for 75 feet.

Extra grade, 18 to 24 inch plants: 2-year transplanted seedlings: 10 plants for \$3.75; 25 plants for \$8.00; 50 or more at the rate of \$28.00 per 100.

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All Rosa multiflora plants are correctly pruned and cut back for successful transplanting.

Far more colorful for Borders and Living Fences are the Floribundas, Shrub or Rugosa Roses and Climbers trained on wire or wooden rails. While more expensive, they provide constant bloom for landscape effects as well as for cutting.

## MINIATURE ROSES

All of these Roses are \$1.00 each; 3 or more of one variety, 90c each.

All our Miniature Roses are sent to you in 3 or 4-inch pots.

These charming little Roses, sometimes called "Miniatures," seldom grow more than a foot high. Though small and dainty, they are comparatively hardy. They should never be planted right in among other everblooming Roses, although they do make nice edging plants for the small Rose garden. They are at home among the smaller rock-garden and alpine plants in a favored or sheltered location. They do not thrive as house plants but do well in a small greenhouse.

**OAKINGTON RUBY.** Deep crimson buds opening to ruby-red—lovely, non-fading color with no white center.

**PIXIE.** Pat. 408. A tiny, fully double, white Rose only  $\frac{3}{4}$  inch across. Buds are sometimes tinged pink.

**POMPON DE PARIS (Pompon Ancien).** The plants are small; buds pointed; flowers a deep pink.

**RED ELF.** Pat. 973. Velvety Bordeaux red with a touch of white at the base of the petals. A strong grower, blooming profusely from late May on.

**RED IMP.** Pat. 1032. Solid, bright unfading crimson. Well-formed buds and blooms.

**SWEET FAIRY.** Pat. 748. Deep pink buds; very double, 1-inch blooms of apple-blossom-pink. Richly fragrant. Long lasting and fine for miniature arrangements.



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After many years of experimenting we feel that B. & A. Rose Dust is the quick, easy solution to your insect and fungous problems.

A few strokes with your dust gun in early morning or preferably in the evening every seven to ten days, especially after rains, will keep sucking and chewing insects and fungous diseases under control. Our formula is very effective, containing a high percentage of active ingredients, including DDT, Fermate, Sulphur, Rotenone, etc.

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We are pleased to advise you that we have been authorized by:

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## COMBINATION OFFER No. 1

5 lbs. B. & A. Improved Rose Dust  
1 Improved Quart Duster

(Regular Value \$8.05) **Postpaid for ... \$7.45**

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1 lb. B. & A. New Rose Spray  
1 G. S. Sprayer

(Regular Value \$12.10) **Postpaid for ... \$10.85**

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# Hardy PERENNIALS

You will find all the best herbaceous plants for cut-flowers, rock-garden planting, ground-covers, and general perennial borders on the following pages.

Visitors to the nursery are agreeably surprised to find many of

the Alpines as well as larger Perennials growing and being established for sale in pots after the dormant season has passed. During May and June many may be seen and purchased for transplanting while in bud or bloom.

Varieties starred (★) are suitable for rock-gardens. Varieties daggered (†) are suitable for cut-flowers.



ACHILLEA, Golden Plate. \$1.00 each

## ACHILLEA

**Golden Plate.** (Illustrated.) A fine hardy plant having large, golden yellow flowers from June to frost. Good for cutting and may also be dried. Sunny location preferred. 2 to 2½ ft. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50; 6 for \$4.75.

**Taggetea.** Similar to Golden Plate except that flowers are lemon-yellow. Blooms from June until September when old flowers are removed. 1½ ft. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

## ALYSSUM, HARDY

### Basket of Gold

Early yellow-flowering perennials having silvery gray foliage. Excellent for rock-garden or as an edging for bulb beds or borders. 6 to 10 in. April, May.

**Saxatile citrinum.** Lemon-yellow flowers. ★3 for \$1.60; 6 for \$3.00.

**Saxatile compactum.** (Illustrated, page 36.) ★Golden yellow. 3 for \$1.60; 6 for \$3.00.

## ANCHUSA • Alkanet

**Italica.** (Illustrated.) An erect plant with clusters of blue flowers, excellent for cutting. If not allowed to go to seed, will bloom from June to September. 3 for \$1.80; 6 for \$3.40.

**Italica, Avalon Hybrids.** Habit and growth same as Italica, but flowers are varied shades of blue, pink and rose. 2 to 2½ ft. 3 for \$1.90; 6 for \$3.50.

**Myosotidiflora.** Forget-me-not-flowered ★**Anchusa.** (Illustrated, page 36.) Likes partial shade and is a fine ground-cover. 1 to 1½ ft. April, May. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

## ANEMONE • Windflower

Sold for spring planting only

The Anemones are among the choicest of perennials, indispensable in the border. They require plenty of moisture, prefer slight shade, and should be given some winter protection. Useful for city gardens because of their endurance of smoke, fog, and dampness.

**Japonica alba.** (Illustrated.) Large, single, pure white flowers. 2½ to 3 ft. Sept., Oct. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

**Japonica, September Charm.** (Illustrated.) ★Considered one of the earliest and best varieties. Carries many flowers of silver-pink and rose in September. 2 ft. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

## ANTHEMIS • Chamomile

**Moonlight.** (Illustrated.) Pale yellow flowers about 2½ inches in diameter. Blooms all summer and is excellent for cutting. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

### PRICES

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Single plants may be purchased at one half of the 3 rate. (Example: 3 for \$1.50 would be 75c each.)



ANCHUSA italica. 3 for \$1.80

ANEMONE japonica alba. 3 for \$2.00



ANEMONE japonica, September Charm. 3 for \$2.00



ANTHEMIS, Moonlight. 3 for \$2.00





AQUILEGIA, Crimson Star. 3 for \$2.00



AQUILEGIA chrysantha. 3 for \$1.60

### AQUILEGIA • Columbine

These well-loved perennials prefer partial shade. They add charm to the border and rock-garden planting and are splendid for cutting. Plant them in groups of three for best effect.

**Chrysantha. Golden Columbine.** (Illustrated.) Lovely golden yellow. 2 to 3 ft. May, June. 3 for \$1.60; 6 for \$3.00.

**Copper Queen.** A very striking coppery red with long spurs; anthers straw-colored. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

**Crimson Star.** (Illustrated.) A really spectacular flower. 2 ft. May, June. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

**Long-spurred Hybrids.** (Illustrated.) Assorted colors, all shades. A fine strain. 2 to 3 ft. May, June. 3 for \$1.60; 6 for \$3.00.



AQUILEGIA, Long-spurred Hybrids. 3 for \$1.60

### ARTEMISIA • Ghost-Plant

**Silver Queen.** Striking soft silver-white foliage, excellent for contrast in the border and for mixing with cut-flowers in flower arrangements. 3 for \$1.80; 6 for \$3.40.

### ASCLEPIAS • Butterfly-Plant

**Tuberosa.** (Illustrated.) One of our showiest native plants. Long lived and thrives in a sandy loam and full sunlight. Bears large heads of brilliant orange-scarlet flowers. 2 to 3 ft. July, Aug. 3 for \$1.60; 6 for \$3.00.

## ASTERS

### MICHAELMAS DAISIES

Perennial or hardy Asters are unrivaled for their varying forms and bright gay colors in the border during late summer and autumn.

**Audrey.** Dwarf. Very free flowering. Amethyst-violet. 1½ to 2 ft.

**Gay Border Blue.** (Illustrated.) Semi-double, rich violet-blue. 3 to 4 ft.

**Harrington's Pink.** (Illustrated.) A really choice, outstanding, new pink Aster. Color is a soft clear rose. Blooms freely on a strong, bushy plant. 3 to 4 ft.

**Mount Everest.** (Illustrated.) Large, pure white flowers cover the plant. With its long flowering period it ranks supreme. 3 to 4 ft.

#### All Hardy Asters:

75c each; 3 of one variety for \$2.00;  
6 for \$3.75

### Special Offer

#### HARDY ASTERS

4 PLANTS 1 each of 4 listed **\$2.70**  
(Regular value \$3.00) FOR

#### READY PLANNED

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BE FOUND ON PAGE 35



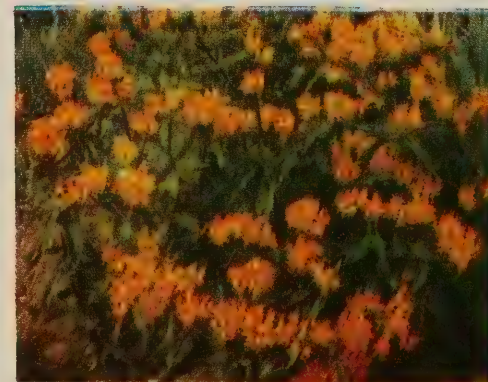
ASTER, Gay Border Blue. 3 for \$2.00



ASTER, Mount Everest. 3 for \$2.00

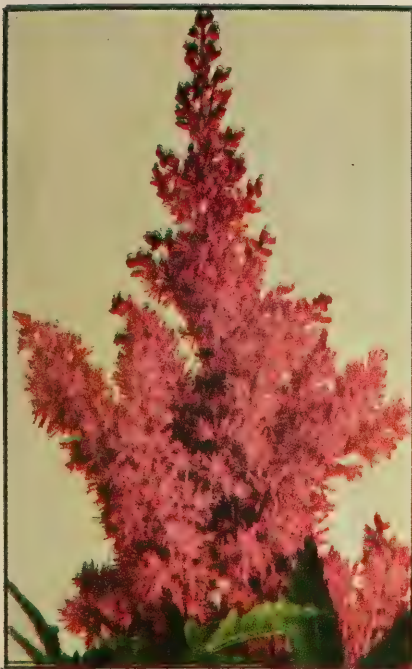


ASTER, Harrington's Pink. 3 for \$2.00



ASCLEPIAS tuberosa. 3 for \$1.60





ASTILBE, Bonn. 3 for \$2.00

### ASTILBE HYBRIDS · Spirea

These hardy hybrid Astilbes will thrive in any good rich soil if given plenty of water during the growing season. Flowers in showy panicles, freely produced. June, July.

**Bonn.** (Illustrated.) Deep carmine-pink. Erect stems; dark green foliage. An outstanding variety. 15 in. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

**Prof. Van Der Wielen.** Usually long stems and side shoots, showing fine, small, pure white flowers in profusion. 1½ to 2 ft. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

### BUDDLEIA · Butterfly-Bush

(For delivery in spring only)

Semi-shrubs which freeze down in hard winters and come up with renewed vigor the following spring. All the Buddleias are excellent as cut-flowers as well as for their decorative value in the garden during August and September.

**Charming.** (Illustrated.) Large, full spikes of lavender-pink.

**Dubonnet.** (Illustrated.) True Dubonnet in color, in sunshine nearly red.

**White Cloud.** A magnificent new white Butterfly-Bush. Compact, producing well-formed blooms with small yellow eyes. 4 to 5 ft. July to frost.

All Buddleias:

3 of one variety for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75

### CAMPANULA · Bellflower

**Garganica.** (Illustrated, page 36.) Trailing habit. Clear deep blue flowers with white eyes. 6 in. July, Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75.

**Persicifolia, Misty Morn.** (Illustrated.) A new outstanding form of the well-known Persicifolia type. Double lavender-blue bells cover the 2½-foot spiral stems. Fine for cutting. 2½ to 3 ft. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

**Rotundifolia, Bluebells of Scotland.** Nodding, clear blue, bell-shaped flowers and fine grassy foliage. 1 ft. June to Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75.



BUDDLEIA, Charming  
3 for \$2.00



BUDDLEIA  
Dubonnet  
3 for \$2.00

### CATANANCHE



CATANANCHE, (Giant Blue Cupids-Dart.)  
3 for \$1.90

**Cæcula major. Giant Blue Cupids-Dart.**

†Bright deep violet-blue flowers, 2 inches in diameter, produced in profusion from July to frost. About 2 ft. 3 for \$1.90; 6 for \$3.50.

**Cærulea, Snow-White.** Same as the above, except that flowers are white. 3 for \$1.90; 6 for \$3.50.



CAMPANULA, Misty Morn. 3 for \$2.00

### LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY

(Convallaria majalis)

Lily-of-the-Valley are breathtaking when in bloom and thrive under adverse shaded conditions. Excellent for urban or rural culture where direct sunlight is normally withheld, because of shade from trees or buildings. They nestle comfortably under higher growing plants or may be used for that shaded corner.

Our plants are not the ordinary run of "pips" normally sold, but strong field-grown clumps, which assure you of a good stand of the finest flowers and longer stems for cutting.

Strong field-grown clumps: 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50; 25 for \$12.50. Not shipped prepaid.

Illustrated, page 36



## CENTAUREA • Cornflower



CENTAUREA dealbata Steenbergii. 3 for \$2.00

**Dealbata Steenbergii.** Large flowers of reddish torchid with white centers. Blends well in borders where yellow predominates. Compact grower. Blooms during July and August and attains a height of 1½ feet. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

## COREOPSIS



COREOPSIS lanceolata. 3 for \$1.70

**Lanceolata.** No perennial produces more blooms than this. Large golden yellow flowers on long graceful stems. 2 ft. June to Oct. 3 for \$1.70; 6 for \$3.15.

**Verticillata.** Small, yellow-flowering variety, with finely divided foliage. Thrives in most any location; grows and spreads rapidly. 2 ft. July, Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75.

Please read Shipping Terms  
when ordering

# Delphiniums

No perennials are more showy than Delphiniums. Their great 20 to 30-inch spikes of flowers are produced from June until late fall and cannot be equalled for their gorgeous colorings and stateliness of habit.

All plants for spring delivery are well established in pots and will transplant without difficulty.

## Giant-Flowering Hybrids

### NAMED VARIETIES

- †**Blue Jay.** Bright medium blue with a dark bee.
- †**Guinevere.** Light pinkish lavender with a white bee.
- †**King Arthur.** Brilliant rich royal purple with a large white bee.
- †**Percival.** Imposing spikes of soft white florets. Overlapping petals. Dark bee.
- †**Summer Skies.** Clear blue with a white bee.

Above Delphinium: 75c each;  
3 of one variety for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75

## DELPHINIUM, LAMARTINE

†A strong grower with good foliage, providing handsome spikes of very fine dark blue flowers in sufficient quantity to furnish cut-flowers from June to September. Very hardy and easy to grow. 3 for \$1.60; 6 for \$3.00.

## Special Offer

### Giant-flowering Hybrid Delphiniums

5 plants, one of  
each named \$3.25  
variety for .

10 plants, two of  
each named \$6.50  
variety for .

## CHRYSANTHEMUM MAXIMUM

### Shasta Daisies

The Shasta Daisies must be included as one of the most valuable and desirable cut-flowers. Their unusual whiteness and long-lasting quality make them perfect subjects for bouquets and other flower decorations. The plants are sturdy, free flowering from early summer until fall.

**Mount Shasta.** Pure white. Double rows of petals 4 inches across. Blooms continually until heavy frost. 1½ to 2 ft. 85c each; 3 for \$2.25.

**Nipponicum.** Something rare and unusual. A native of Japan with dark lustrous green leaves and 2½ to 3-inch, dazzling white, daisy-like flowers. Extremely hardy; nearly evergreen. 2 ft. Aug. to frost. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

### MOUNT SHASTA



GIANT-FLOWERING  
DELPHINIUM

Single plants may be purchased at one half of the 3 rate, unless an each price is quoted. See page 21.



## CYCLAMEN, Hardy

These dwarf Cyclamen are entirely hardy and are excellent subjects for the rock-garden or shaded wild garden. They do best if planted in leaf soil and shade.

**Neapolitanum.** A charming and easily grown Cyclamen. Foliage is marbled. Flowers vary from pure white to rich pink. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

## DICENTRA • Bleeding-Heart

**Eximia. Wild Bleeding-Heart.** (Illustrated, ★page 36.) An excellent variety of Bleeding-Heart for growing in either sun or partial shade, blooming from May until September. Its flowers are sprays of light pink hearts above light green, fern-like foliage. 1 ft. 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75.

**Spectabilis.** (Illustrated.) This fine old favorite, known as Bleeding-Heart, has been grown and admired through the years for its unusual display of pink hanging hearts in May and June. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50; 6 for \$4.75.

**Sweetheart. White Fringed Bleeding-Heart.** (Illustrated.) A recent introduction that will be found very suitable for shaded gardens, having graceful, pure white, suspended blooms from late spring to frost. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25.



DICENTRA, Sweetheart. \$1.25 each

## DORONICUM • Leopards-Bane



DORONICUM caucasicum. 3 for \$1.70

**Caucasicum.** Yellow marguerite flowers, 2½ to 3 inches across, on 18-inch stems. 3 for \$1.70; 6 for \$3.15.



DIANTHUS, Pink Princess. 3 for \$2.00



BLEEDING-HEART (Dicentra spectabilis)  
3 for \$2.50

## DICTAMNUS • Gas-Plant

**Fraxinella rubra.** The rose-pink flowers sometimes emit a vapor which is inflammable and instantly aromatic. Long lasting as a cut-flower. A very fine perennial. 2 to 2½ ft. June to Aug. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

## ECHINOPS • Globe Thistle

**Humilis, Taplow Blue.** A very showy, tall-growing plant having globular heads of soft metallic blue flowers. Fine for cutting and drying for winter bouquets. Plant in part shade or sun at the back of the border. 2½ ft. July, Aug. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

## PRICES

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We have many other perennial varieties listed in former catalogues but not included in this issue. If interested, write for current prices on your requirements; if they are available, we will be glad to advise you.

SINGLE PLANTS MAY BE PURCHASED.  
See page 21.

## DIANTHUS HYBRIDS Hardy Carnation

Sweet-scented Hardy Carnations for all garden requirements. Blooms all summer, providing cut-flowers for the home, for boutonnieres and flower arrangements.

**June Carmine.** A very lovely shade of ★bright carmine-pink with a spicy fragrance. Full double flowers, perfectly formed. Growth compact and cushion-like. Extra hardy.

★**Pink Princess.** See illustration.

**Salmon Unique.** The spicy clove-scented ★flowers are salmon-pink, borne on sturdy stems. Produced throughout the summer into the fall. Hardy.

### All Dianthus:

3 of one variety for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75

## EPIMEDIUM • Barrenwort

As ground-covers, for edging or in the rockery, Epimediums are delightful. In May and June the plants, growing about 9 inches high and wide, are a mass of delicate, lovely flowers. Their light green, heart-shaped foliage is leathery in texture and most attractive. They grow well in shade, better in partial shade, and will also tolerate full sunlight.

**Alpinum rubrum.** (Illustrated.) A lovely little ★dwarf plant having masses of red flowers in May and June.

**Macranthum niveum.** (Illustrated.) In May ★and June it is a perfect sheet of white flowers offset by handsome foliage. Worthy of a place in every garden.

**Macranthum violaceum.** Same habits as ★above variety but lilac flowers.

### All Epimediums:

3 of one variety for \$1.70; 6 for \$3.15



EPIMEDIUM  
macranthum  
niveum  
3 for \$1.70



EPIMEDIUM  
alpinum  
rubrum  
3 for \$1.70

Varieties starred (★) for rock-gardens.  
Varieties daggered (†) for cut-flowers.





**HARDY FERNS**  
3 of one variety for \$2.00

## FERNS

A shady position, usually on the north side of the building, that may be useless for the cultivation of other plants, is easily transformed into a hardy fernery. These graceful plants are of easy culture, especially if a liberal amount of leaf-mold or good earth from the woods is available. The low-growing varieties are suitable for rock-gardens.

### **American Maidenhair Fern.** (DWARF.)

★Very graceful and delicate fronds. A popular hardy Fern. Does very well in shade under trees. 1 ft.

**Christmas Fern.** An evergreen species with ★shining dark green leaves. 1 ft.

### **Hay-scented Fern** (*Dennstaedtia punctilobula*).

★Grows in open sun as well as in shade. 1 to 1½ ft.

### **Leatherwood Fern** (*Dryopteris marginalis*).

★Evergreen, attractive and vigorous grower. 1 to 1½ ft.

**Royal Fern** (*Osmunda regalis*). Also a strong, tall species that thrives in shady or sunny location. 2 to 4 ft.

#### **All Ferns:**

75c each; 3 of one variety for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75

### **SPECIAL OFFER HARDY FERNS**

**5 PLANTS**, 1 each of the above  
Ferns . . . . . **FOR \$3.10**  
(Regular value \$3.75)

## FUNKIA (Hosta)

### **Plantain-Lily**

A very useful plant thriving in almost any position, sun or shade. Both varieties will do well on the north side of buildings, in beds, used as edging, or inter-planted with hardy ferns. The foliage is attractive, as well as the flowers, which are freely produced in August.

### **Lancifolia caerulea.** (Illustrated.) Fine lavender-blue flowers, with broad green leaves.

★Contrasts nicely with white varieties. 1 to 1½ ft. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

### **Subcordata grandiflora.** Large, pure white

†flowers and bold foliage make this a very attractive and much-sought-after variety. Fragrant. 1 to 1½ ft. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50; 6 for \$3.75.

## GAILLARDIA · Blanket-Flower

†**Aura Pura.** Clear yellow.

†**Burgundy.** (Illustrated.) Deep wine-red.

†**Portola Hybrids.** (Illustrated.) Flowers are brilliant coppery scarlet, with petals margined golden yellow. A vigorous grower. Fine for cutting. 1½ to 2 ft. June until frost.

#### **All Gaillardias:**

3 of one variety for \$1.70; 6 for \$3.15



GAILLARDIA, Burgundy. 3 for \$1.70

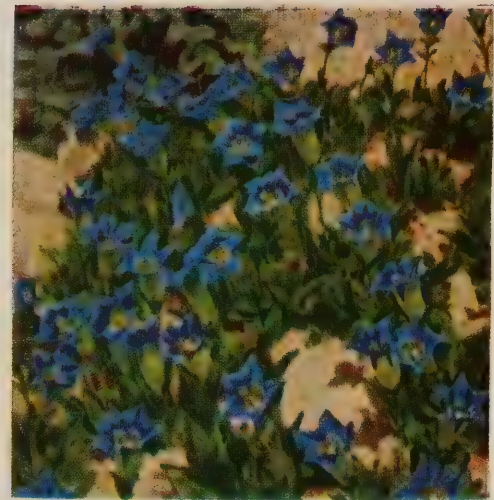


GAILLARDIA, Portola Hybrids. 3 for \$1.70

Large field clumps of many Perennials are available at the Nursery. In the fall field clumps of Chrysanthemums. All at special prices.



FUNKIA lancifolia. 3 for \$2.00



GENTIANA IN BLOOM

## GENTIANA

**Purdomi.** Prostrate stems. Large, up-★turned, violet-blue, starry trumpets. Excellent subject for growing in rock-gardens or beneath other plants in a sunny location. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50; 6 for \$4.75.

## GEUM · Avens

Valuable for the sparkling brilliance of their outstanding orange and scarlet colors. Free-flowering, hardy plants that bloom intermittently. They will grow in full sunlight or partial shade in any good garden soil. 1 to 1½ ft. June to Sept.



GEUM, Lady Stratheden (left) and Mrs. Bradshaw (right). 3 of one variety for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75.

## GRASSES

**Festuca glauca.** A pretty dwarf Grass, with tufts of fine bluish green foliage. 1 ft.

**Pennisetum japonicum.** A splendid Grass grown for its rich mahogany flowers tipped white, and graceful foliage. 3 ft.

**Phalaris arundinacea picta.** Variegated **Ribbon Grass.** Leaves are striped lengthwise with yellowish white; tall flower-spikes. For bedding and edging.

#### **All Grass:**

3 of one variety for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75



## HELENIUM

This hardy family of perennials blooms in late summer. The daisy-like flowers are borne in great profusion on bushy, shrub-like plants varying from 3 to 5 feet in height. Very effective for late summer bloom and excellent for cutting. A sunny location and good average garden soil is their only requirement.

**Garden Sun (Gartensonne).** Brilliant golden yellow with velvety brown center. 4 ft. 3 for \$1.70; 6 for \$3.15.



HELIANTHEMUM, Buttercup. 3 for \$1.50

## HELIANTHEMUM • Sunrose

These delightful low-spreading plants are indispensable in the rock-garden or on steep banks, where they form a mat of foliage and furnish a good quantity of bloom from July to September. 8 to 10 in.

**Buttercup.** (Illustrated.) Single; golden yellow.

**Fireball.** Similar to above but flowers are flaming orange to red.

**Mutabile.** Flowers pale rose, changing to white. May to July.

**All Helianthemum:**

3 of one variety for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75



HELIANTHUS, Loddon Gold. 3 for \$1.60

## HELIANTHUS • Sunflower

**Loddon Gold.** (Illustrated.) Large, double, bright golden yellow flowers. 3 for \$1.60; 6 for \$3.00.



HEMEROCALLIS (Daylily)

## HEMEROCALLIS • Daylily

(ILLUSTRATED)

Lily-like plants with grass-like foliage which will thrive where many other plants fail. They are of easy culture and will do well in partial shade or full sun without pampering.

### Early-flowering Varieties

†**Dr. Regel.** Rich orange-yellow. May.

†**Dumortieri.** Orange-yellow. 2 ft. May, June.

**Flava Major.** Lemon-yellow; fragrant. 3 ft. †May.

**Gold Dust.** Clear golden yellow. 2 to 3 ft. †June.

**Mikado.** Orange, spotted mahogany. 2½ ft. †June.

### Late-flowering Varieties

†**J. R. Mann.** Apricot. 2½ ft. July.

**Linda.** Golden yellow with cinnamon bars. †3 ft. July, Aug.

**Margaret Perry.** Orange-scarlet. 4 ft. Blooms †nearly two months.

**Purple Waters.** Deep wine with yellow throat. †2½ ft. June, July.

**Thunbergi.** Fragrant soft yellow. 3½ ft. †July, Aug.

**All Hemerocallis: 75c each; 3 of one variety for \$2.00; 6 of one variety for \$3.75**

## Special Offer HEMEROCALLIS

5 PLANTS, either 1 each of the early type or 5 late flowering.

Your choice ..... FOR **\$3.25**

(Regular value \$3.75)

10 PLANTS, 1 each listed ... FOR **\$6.50**

(Regular value \$7.50)

## NEW HEMEROCALLIS

**KANAPAH.** Bright raspberry-red. \$3.00 each.

**PRIDE OF DIXIE.** Glowing orange with a veining of bright rose. It has an eye-zone of rose-red that goes almost to the tips of the petals, which are recurved. \$7.50 each.

**SALMON GOLD.** Five-inch flowers of Florida gold. Petals have an overcast of rose blended with orange. \$7.50 each.

## HELLEBORUS ATRORUBENS

This is truly a different Christmas Rose. Its habit and extreme hardiness are the same as the variety commonly known, but its flower is a deep shade of burgundy. When in bloom with snow on the ground it is a lovely sight. Nov. to Jan. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$7.00.





HEATHER  
(*C. elata alba*)

## SCOTCH HEATH AND HEATHER

Being evergreen, the compact and low-growing Heaths and Heathers are ideal for rockeries or planted in individual groups. We recommend an annual clipping or shearing to keep them trim looking. Grows best in a peaty soil.

### Calluna · Heather

**Elata alba. White Heather.** (Illustrated.) A very straight grower having soft deep green foliage and white flowers. 1½ to 2 ft.

**Hirsuta. Woolly Heather.** Low, compact growth typical of the species. Foliage soft gray; flowers purple. 4 to 7 in.

**Vulgaris.** (Illustrated.) A dense-growing shrub with pretty, bell-shaped flowers of rosy lavender in great profusion toward the top of the plants. 1 to 1½ ft. July to Oct.

### Erica · Heath

**Stricta. Corsican Heath.** A compact, erect grower with striking pink flowers from July to September. 12 to 15 in.

**Vagans alba. White Cornish Heath.** A very lovely, compact, low-growing variety having creamy white bloom throughout the winter months. 1 ft.

**All Heath and Heather: \$1.00 each**



HEATHER  
(*C. Vulgaris*)

## HEUCHERA · Coral-Bells

Rosette-like plants with graceful, erect stems, bearing sprays of drooping flowers in great profusion. Fine for well-drained and half-shaded places in the border and rockery. An excellent cut-flower. 1 to 1½ ft. June, July.



HEUCHERAS

**Pluie de Feu Perry's White Cascade**  
3 of one variety for \$1.80; 6 for \$3.40

## Ground-Covers

For shaded locations under trees where grass fails.

**Pachysandra.** \$25.00 per 100.

**Vinca.** \$25.00 per 100.

*Shipment by Express Only*

## HIBISCUS · Marsh Mallow

**Giant-flowering.** (Illustrated.)

The mammoth flowers are a delight in August when so many other flowers are out of bloom. They are easily grown in all types of soil but do like plenty of moisture. Color range: crimson, white and pink. **Mixed Colors Only.** 75c each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

**Separate Colors** are slightly higher in price. Red, Pink, White. 85c each; 3 of one color for \$2.25.

**White with a Crimson Eye.** Very showy. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.



HIBISCUS. Giant-flowering  
Separate Colors. 85c each



IBERIS sempervirens  
(Evergreen Candytuft). 3 for \$1.70

## IBERIS Candytuft

**Semper-virens.**  
Evergreen  
Candy-  
tuft.

Splendid rock and edging plant. 10 in. April, May. 3 for \$1.70; 6 for \$3.15.

**Sempervirens, Little Gem.** A compact, globular plant covered with snow-white flowers. 6 in. April, May. 3 for \$1.70; 6 for \$3.15.

**Sempervirens, Snowflake.** Large green cushions bearing an abundance of large, pure white flowers. 10 in. April, May. 3 for \$1.80; 6 for \$3.40.



**All spoon Mums, Orchid, White, Yellow, Red, Rose.** 75c each; 3 of one variety for \$2.00.

## HERBS

Flavor, fragrance and color for your eating pleasure and health are all yours by planting a few of the listed Herbs. The perennial herbs are easy to grow and can be readily established in a small space, for the housewife to use in her culinary art.

### 4 CHOICE MINTS FOR SUMMER BEVERAGES

Peppermint  
Pineapplemint

Applemint  
Spearmint

**4 MINTS for \$2.80**

### 5 CHOICE HERBS FOR KITCHEN USE

Chives

Sage

Thyme

Tarragon

Savory

**5 HERBS for \$3.50**

Herbs and Mint may be purchased separately at 75c each; 3 of one variety for \$2.00





RED ORCHID. \$1.00 each

## GERMAN IRIS

### Intermedia

This class of Iris is exceptionally free flowering and blooms much earlier than the regular bearded types. They are very vigorous, developing into large clumps which display countless spikes of colorful bloom. Very hardy and outstanding in every way.

**Espada.** A real true royal purple; throat markings white.

**Gentius.** Deep blackish blue. Flower large and very well formed.

**Red Orchid.** (Illustrated.) Beautiful brownish red with falls slightly darker. Texture resembles velvet; throat markings yellow.

**All German Iris: \$1.00 each;  
3 of one variety for \$2.50**



LYTHRUM, Morden's Pink. 3 for \$2.00

## JAPANESE IRIS

These summer-blooming Iris are among the most important of the hardy perennials. In beauty, form and color they rival or even surpass the orchid. They do well in a sunny, well-drained location, coming into bloom right after the German or Bearded Iris and are at their best in July.

### FOUR CHOICE VARIETIES

*All are 6-petal varieties*

**Gold Bound.** Very large; pure white, yellow center.

**Mahogany.** Deep velvety mahogany-red.

**Princess Clothilde.** Porcelain-blue on an ash-gray background.

**Rosanne.** Light purple with heavy purple veins.

**All Japanese Iris: \$1.00 each;  
3 of one variety for \$2.50**

**1 each of the four varieties  
listed for \$3.75**



LEONTOPODIUM (Edelweiss). 3 for \$4.00

## LEONTOPODIUM

### Edelweiss

#### Bridal Flower of the Alps

The true Edelweiss about which so much Swiss sentiment has been woven.

From the center of this silvery gray, prostrate plant grows a flower stem bearing three or four starlike, woolly white flowers. Prefers a light soil and will grow in rock crevices and with some winter protection will be found hardy. Pot-grown only, \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

## LYTHRUM • Loosestrife

**Dropmore Purple.** Blooms continuously from †June to September. Especially valuable for mid-summer color when blues and purples are always scarce. Very showy, lavender-pink spikes. 3 ft. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

**Morden's Pink.** (Illustrated.) Graceful, airy †spikes of a deep clear pink. Plants are bushy and compact. Extremely hardy; adaptable to all soils. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.



JAPANESE IRIS



MONARDA, Cambridge Scarlet. 3 for \$1.70

## MONARDA

### Bee-Balm

A very reliable and hardy perennial. Its foliage is aromatic and a good dark green. Flower-heads are compact, and it blooms from June to August. Grows well in any location. 2 to 2½ ft.

**Cambridge Scarlet.** (Illustrated.)

**Didyma alba.** White.

**Mahogany.** Indian-red.

**All Monardas:  
3 for \$1.70; 6 for \$3.15**



## MUEHLENBECKIA

**Nana.** An elegant rock plant with wiry stems ★only a few inches long, densely clothed with small dark green leaves and blue flowers. Also very useful between stepping-stones. 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75.

## NIEREMBERGIA • Cup-Flower

**Rivularis. White-Cup.** An excellent dwarf, ★creeping alpine plant, with cup-shaped, creamy white flowers. 8 in. June to Aug. 3 for \$1.70; 6 for \$3.15.

## OENOTHERA • Evening Primrose

Excellent for a sunny position in the rockery or border. Blooms all summer.

**Youngi.** Bright lemon-yellow flowers. Attractive large, shiny foliage. 2 ft. June to Aug. 3 for \$1.80; 6 for \$3.40.



PACHYSANDRA terminalis. 10 for \$3.50

## PACHYSANDRA Japanese Spurge

**Terminalis.** Most useful for planting in ★dense shade where few other plants will grow or for bordering walks and drives. The glossy foliage remains green winter and summer. Its inconspicuous greenish white flowers are produced in May and June. 6 to 9 in. Our pot-grown plants are incomparably superior to the field-grown ones usually offered. Not prepaid. Offered Express Collect Only: 10 for \$3.50; 25 for \$7.50; 100 for \$25.00.

## PACHYSANDRA variegata

A variegated form of Pachysandra which will delight you when used as an edging or under Rhododendron and Azalea plantings. Pot-grown only and not shipped prepaid. Express Collect: 10 for \$4.25; 25 for \$9.00.

## PENSTEMON • Beard-Tongue

**Digitalis.** Long white spikes with spotted throats. Fine cut-flower. 3 for \$1.70; 6 for \$3.15.

**Blue Boy.** Bells of a brilliant blue, which appear in June. Different and well worth planting. 1½ ft. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

SEE PAGE 21 FOR SINGLE PLANTS



PENSTEMON, Firebird. 3 for \$2.00

**Penstemon, Firebird.** Delightful slender spikes of clean glowing cherry-red, bell-shaped flowers. Profuse bloom, June through August. 1½ to 2 ft. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

## PLUMBAGO • Leadwort

**Larpetiae. Blue Leadwort.** Deep blue ★flowers completely cover the compact plant. This is the plant to use where a broad sweep or expanse of blue is needed. 6 to 12 in. Aug., Sept. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50; 25 for \$10.00.

## POTENTILLA • Cinquefoil

Attractive plants for the border or rockery, producing brilliant flowers from June to August, with strawberry-like foliage.

**Tridentata.** A shrubby little plant that makes a good ground-cover. Fine for dry banks. Leathery foliage; small white flowers. 9 to 12 in. June to Aug. 3-in. pots. 10 for \$3.50; 25 for \$7.50; 100 for \$25.00.

Not shipped prepaid

## PHYSOSTEGIA False Dragonhead

(Illustrated)

Perfectly hardy and very easy to grow in practically all locations. Physostegias are indispensable for August and September color in the garden and home.

**Rosy Spire.** The showy spikes of deep rosy crimson blooms are fine for cutting. Blooms in mid-September. 3½ ft.

**Virginiana alba, Improved.** Gives a grand display of large white spikes in August and September. This is a very special strain resulting from years of personal selection.

**Virginiana grandiflora, Vivid.** Remains dwarf and stays within bounds, giving a grand display of large rose-pink spikes in August and September. Excellent for groups in a front border and for cutting.

All Physostegias: 3 of one variety for \$1.50; 6 of one variety for \$2.75

## PLATYCODON Balloon-Flower

Free-flowering plants with balloon-shaped buds and star-shaped flowers. Very beautiful. June, July.



PLATYCODON grandiflorum. 3 for \$1.50

**Grandiflorum.** Deep blue. Branching habit. ½ ft.

**Grandiflorum album.** White. Erect stems. ½ ft.

**Grandiflorum Mariesi.** Deep blue. Erect stems. 1 ft.

All Platycodons: 3 of one variety for \$1.50; 6 of one variety for \$2.75

## SEMPERVIVUM • Houseleek

Dwarf plants that are ideal for rock-gardens or wall crevices. Their thick, succulent foliage is arranged in tight rosettes, and flowers in showy clusters.

**Arachnoideum. Cobweb Houseleek.** Flowers bright red. Tips of leaves in rosettes connected by silvery threads, whence its name. 6 in.

**Tectorum. Hen and Chickens.** The largest of the family, with rosettes from 3 to 5 inches across. Flowers pinkish red. 1 ft.

All Sempervivums: 3 of one variety for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75



PHYSOSTEGIA (False Dragonhead). 3 for \$1.50



# Hardy Garden

# PHLOX



SIR JOHN FALSTAFF

## SIR JOHN FALSTAFF

New giant-flowered Phlox and one of the best and most spectacular varieties to date. In our opinion, it is far superior to all others and will undoubtedly remain the outstanding variety of its color for many years to come. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50. (Not included in Special Offers.)



SPITFIRE

## WORLD PEACE

(New)

In keeping with the times and the hope of mankind, we present this new, exceptionally large, pure white Phlox. It has a tendency to bloom later than most other varieties and has proved to be a good strong grower. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

## SILVERTON

A very lovely new variety of Hardy Garden Phlox with large trusses of lavender flowers in July and August. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.



RUBY LEE

## HARDY PHLOX

**Africa.** Carmine-red.

**Daily Sketch.** Salmon-pink.

**Flash.** Carmine-crimson.

**Mary Louise.** See illustration.

**Mrs. Jenkins.** Pure white.

**Pink Charm.** Bright pink.

**Ruby Lee.** See illustration.

**Spitfire.** See illustration.

**Tigress.** Orange-scarlet.

3 of one variety for \$1.70;

6 of one variety for \$3.15

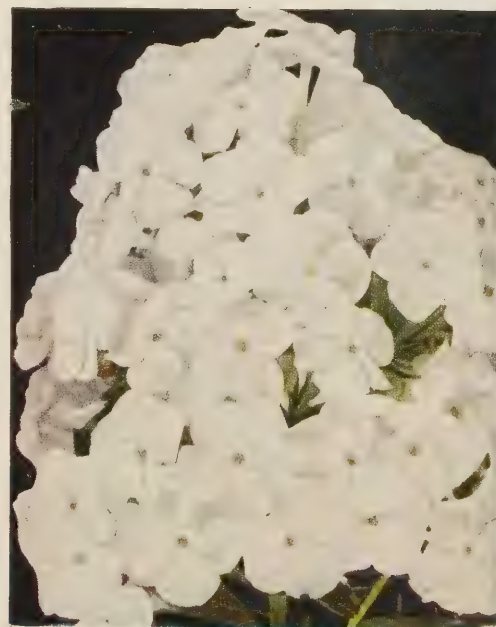
## SPECIAL OFFER

6 Plants, assorted from above list (Our selection)

for \$4.75

12 Plants (Our selection)

for \$9.45



MARY LOUISE  
One of the better whites.





PRIMULA veris Kleyni. 3 for \$2.00



PRIMULA juliae, Wanda. 3 for \$2.00

## PRIMULA

### Hardy Primrose

Primulas in their varied forms and colors are among the earliest of spring flowers. They are ideal for shady spots in the rock-garden or in the shade of evergreens, trees, and shrubs. Also useful near pools, streams, etc.

**Auricula.** (Illustrated.) A lovely alpine variety. Native to the Swiss and Austrian Alps. Requires some shade and good drainage. Blooms from April till June and on occasion again in the fall. Colors vary from yellow to lavender. 4 to 5 in.

**Polyantha.** (Illustrated.) An old favorite with trusses of large flowers in various shades from white through yellow, rose, and carmine to scarlet. 1 ft. April, May.

**Veris Kleyni.** (Illustrated.) A very free-flowering variety having long, heavy stems, with immense flowers of rich golden yellow shaded apricot.

**All Primulas: 3 of one variety for \$2.00; 6 of one variety for \$3.75**

### Special Offer

#### PRIMULA

**6** PLANTS, 2 each of  
3 varieties listed  
above . . . . . FOR **\$4.25**



PRIMULA auricula. 3 for \$2.00



PRIMULA polyantha. 3 for \$2.00

### PRIMULA JULIAE HYBRIDS

Very low growing and showy. Their bloom comes in great profusion and nearly covers the small plants in early spring.

**Kay.** Blue

**Wanda.** (Illustrated.) Rich purple.

### SALVIA · Sage

**Nemorosa superba. Improved Violet Sage.** (Illustrated.) A very rare variety with flower-spikes of lovely dark violet-blue with a maroon calyx carried well above the foliage. Blooms nearly all summer, June to August. 1½ to 2 ft. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

### SANTOLINA

**Incana. Lavender-Cotton.** Dwarf evergreen perennial growing about 1½ feet high. Silvery white foliage. Small yellow flowers in July. Fine for edging. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

### SCABIOSA · Pincushion-Flower

**Caucasica, Isaac House Strain.** (Illustrated.) A handsome, hardy plant that should be grown by everyone. Beautiful soft lilac flowers. Vigorous grower. 2 ft. June to Aug. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

### STOKESIA

**Cyanea superba.** (Illustrated, page 33.) A greatly improved Cornflower Aster with the finest sky-blue flowers averaging 3 to 4 inches across. It is easy to grow and therefore is especially valuable when good blue flowers in the border are scarce. Beginning to bloom in July, it continues throughout summer until early October. Very hardy and free of all pests. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.



SALVIA nemorosa  
superba (Violet Sage)  
3 for \$2.00



SCABIOSA caucasica, Isaac House Strain  
3 for \$2.00

### TEUCRIUM · Germander

Compact plants resembling dwarf Boxwood. Can be clipped to suit any height up to 12 inches. Its pretty pink flowers are attractive in July and August. Makes an excellent border for rose beds, etc. 12 in. 10 for \$3.50; 25 for \$7.50; 100 for \$25.00. Shipped Express collect only.

**SINGLE PLANTS MAY BE PURCHASED**  
See page 21





VIOLET, Royal Robe. 3 for \$1.70

## VIOLETS

A cool, damp, shady place suits Violets best. Here they will bloom freely and come back year after year.

**Gov. Herrick.** Large; clear blue. 3 to 6 in. Apr. ★ to June.

**Pilkington.** (Illustrated.) A new dark purple ★ with stems of good length.

**Royal Robe.** (Illustrated.) The blossoms are ★ fragrant and open out flat like a pansy or viola.

**Snow Queen.** (Illustrated.) White with a small ★ inconspicuous lavender heart.

**All Violets: 3 of one variety for \$1.70;  
6 of one variety for \$3.15**



STOKESIA cyanea superba. 3 for \$2.00

## VERONICA • Speedwell

**Icicle.** (Illustrated.) A new white-spined † Veronica of great merit. Extremely hardy and excellent for short-stemmed bouquets. Blooms all summer. 1 to 1½ ft. 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75.

**Longifolia subsessilis.** Very attractive plant having very deep blue flowers throughout August and September. Blooms late into the fall. 1½ to 2 ft. 3 for \$1.70; 6 for \$3.15.

**Royal Blue.** Gentian-blue flowers on a spreading plant. Excellent foliage. Good for rock-garden, banks, etc. 8 to 10 in. July. 3 for \$1.70; 6 for \$3.15.



VIOLET, Snow Queen. 3 for \$1.70



VIOLET, Pilkington. 3 for \$1.70

## STATICE • Sea-Lavender (Illustrated)

†A very fine plant; when in bloom it resembles Babys-Breath. Its tiny blue flowers are borne in great profusion in August and September. Good for cutting and drying. 1½ ft. 3 for \$1.70; 6 for \$3.15.



STATICE  
(Sea-Lavender)  
3 for \$1.70

## VINCA • Periwinkle

A highly recommended evergreen trailer that is fine for covering graves, terraces, banks, alongside walks, or in the foreground of foundation plantings. All Vincas in 3-inch pots. Not Prepaid. Offered Express Collect only.



VINCA minor.

**Vinca minor.** Luxuriant foliage and flowers. ★ Lilac-blue in April and May. Spreading and fairly quick growing. 10 for \$3.50; 25 for \$7.50; 100 for \$25.00.

## PRICES

All Perennials are more attractive when planted in groups of at least three or more of one variety. We suggest this be considered when ordering and planting. Our prices are made accordingly. Perennials are sold in units of three or more unless an each price is quoted.



VERONICA Icicle. 3 for \$2.00



# Garden

# Chrysanthemums



PRINCESS ANNE. \$1.00 each

## ANEMONE-FLOWERED MUMS

The new hardy Anemone-flowered Mums which we call the "Princess Series" were originated by Mr. Louis Reichert of Bell Harbor, N. Y. They have a crested or pin-cushion center.

**Princess Anne.** See illustration.

**Princess Dorothy.** Soft silvery lavender-pink.

**Princess Marie.** Indian-red.

**Princess Violetta.** Rich rosy purple.

**Princess Pocahontas.** Deep mahogany-bronze.

**All Princess Mums: \$1.00 each;  
3 of one variety for \$2.50**



HUNTSMAN. Half natural size.



BETTY. Double flowers of apple-blossom-pink with a deeper center. M-1.

## LARGE-FLOWERING

**Avalanche.** See illustration.

**Betty.** See illustration.

**Bronze Pyramid.** Double blooms of glowing deep bronze. Strong and free blooming. L-1.

**Carnival.** Gleaming brilliant burnt-orange, double flower over 3 inches in diameter. M-1.

**Charles Nye.** Full double, bright golden yellow flowers carried in clusters on sturdy stems. L-2.

**Chippewa.** A very large, sparkling double flower 4 inches across. Double. M-1.

**Hearthfire.** An unusually good red Chrysanthemum and when in bloom is admired by all. A small yellow center appears in the open flower. M-2.

**Huntsman.** See illustration. Large, double, brilliant scarlet-orange blooms. Very hardy. L-1.

**Juanita.** A startling, new rare color in the Chrysanthemum world—soft lavender-pink. Large flowers on strong, sturdy plants. M-2.

**Lavender Lady.** See illustration.

**Meditation.** A two-toned flower with jasper-red and yellow having an orange reverse. M-1.

**Valiant.** Very large, semi-double, bright rose-scarlet flowers with a yellow center. E-1.

**Yellow Avalanche.** An excellent bright double golden yellow. E-1.

**All Large-flowering Mums: 75c each;  
3 of one variety for \$2.00; 6 of one variety for \$3.75**

*Listed Mum prices are for Spring planting only. Field grown Mums in Fall slightly higher.*

## KEY TO ABBREVIATIONS:

E., early; M., medium; L., late.

## RELATIVE HEIGHTS:

1, tall (2 ft.); 2, medium (18 in.); 3, low (1 ft.).

## SPECIAL OFFER Large-Flowering Mums

5 plants, 1 each of 5 named varieties  
(Our selection, all different colors)

(Regular value \$3.75) FOR **\$3.10**

10 plants, 2 each of 5 named varieties  
(Our selection, all different colors)

(Regular value \$7.50) FOR **\$6.00**

## SPECIAL OFFER

1 each of 5 Princess Mums

(Regular value \$5.00) FOR **\$4.50**

SPOON MUMS. See page 28



AVALANCHE. Considered one of the finest whites, bearing 4-inch flowers; perfect for cutting. Double. E-1.



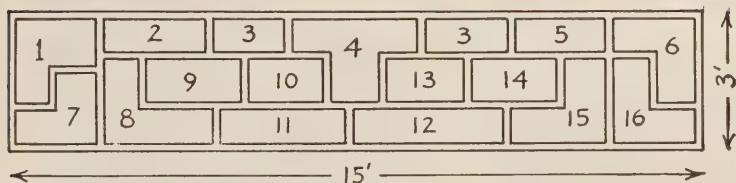
LAVENDER LADY. As voiced by many, the most distinct pure lavender ever offered. Double. M-1.



# Ready Planned Perennial Borders

To fit your requirements, whether you have a sunny or shaded location. Select your space and plant according to key number shown.

Any good garden soil with a minimum of labor and expense will provide you with years of pleasure and cut-flowers for the home throughout the entire growing season.



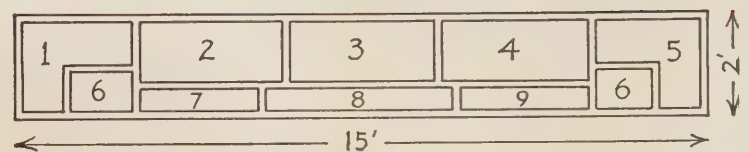
## LARGE ALL-SEASON SUNNY PERENNIAL BORDER

Suitable background could consist of a fence, hedge or an adjoining building.

All plants are suitable for cutting or show.

Key	Quantity	Variety	Key	Quantity	Variety
1	3	Lythrum, Morden's Pink	9	3	Gaillardia, Portola Hybrid
2	3	Salvia pratensis	10	3	Catananche cærulea
3	4	Physostegia virginiana alba	11	3	Alyssum saxatile
4	4	Helianthus, Loddon Gold	12	3	Iberis, Snowflake
5	3	Anchusa italica	13	2	Platycodon grandiflorum album
6	3	Lythrum, Dropmore Purple	14	3	Gaillardia, Aura Pura
7	3	Phlox, Daily Sketch	15	4	Veronica subsessilis
8	4	Veronica, Icicle	16	3	Phlox, Silverton

**51 Plants for \$22.25** Regular Value \$29.32



## PERENNIAL BORDER FOR HALF SHADE

This border planting will be found suitable for planting areas receiving less than five hours of sunlight per day. Plant under trees, in the shade from buildings, etc.

Key	Quantity	Variety	Key	Quantity	Variety
1	3	Funkia lancifolia	6	2	Dicentra spectabilis
2	3	Monarda, Cambridge Scarlet	7	3	Epimedium niveum
3	3	Hardy Fern	8	5	Veronica, Royal Blue
4	3	Anthericum (St Bruno's Lily)	9	3	Epimedium alpinum rubrum
5	3	Funkia lancifolia			

**28 Plants for \$14.50** Regular Value \$17.95

Shipped by Express only, transportation charges collect. NOT PREPAID.



### POMPON MUMS

**Butterball.** New. Double, ball-like, dark lemon yellow flowers produced profusely on low, compact plants. E-3.

**Lillian Doty.** Pale old-rose of true pompon type. A strong grower. M-1.

**Red Doty.** Dark red; habit similar to above.

**White Doty.** Creamy white; habit similar to all Dotys. M-1.

### CUSHION MUMS

All are dwarf growing, about 1 foot high, and very free flowering from early September until late frosts.

**Pink Red Yellow Lemon White**

**Powder Puff.** This fine double white Cushion Mum has a graceful, spreading habit and flowers profusely, starting in early September.

### SPECIAL OFFER

**5 Cushion Mums**

1 each of 5 colors listed above

for **\$3.10**

(Regular value \$3.75)

**All Pompon and Cushion Mums: 75c each;**

**3 of one variety for \$2.00;**

**6 of one variety for \$3.75**

### THE TIME WE SHIP MUMS

Young, healthy, growing plants in pots become established during winter and early spring for delivery in May and early June.



ASHES OF ROSES. \$1.00 each

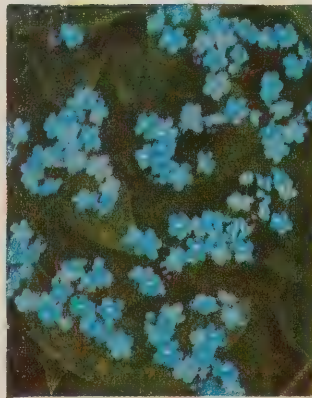


# Hardy ROCK-GARDEN PLANTS

Suitable for sun, partial shade or shade.  
All are low growing and attractive.



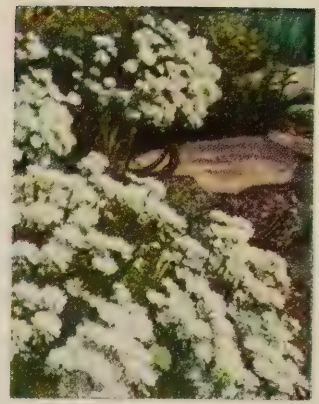
PRIMULA Polyantha  
3 for \$2.00



ANCHUSA myosotidiflora  
3 for \$2.00



DICENTRA eximia  
3 for \$1.50



IBERIS (Evergreen White  
Candytuft). 3 for \$1.70



CONVALLARIA (Lily-of-the-Valley)  
3 for \$2.00



EPIMEDIUM macranthum niveum  
3 for \$1.70



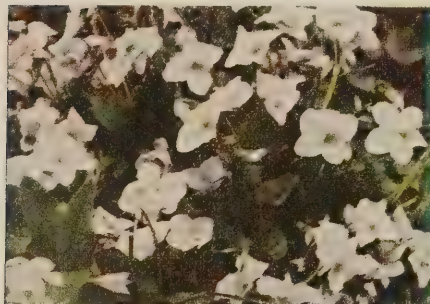
ALYSSUM saxatile compactum  
3 for \$1.60



ANEMONE, September Sprite  
3 for \$2.00



CAMPANULA garganica  
3 for \$1.50



VIOLET, Snow Queen. 3 for \$1.70

Single plants may be purchased at one half of the 3 rate, except where an each price is quoted. (Example: 3 for \$1.60 would be 80c each.)

## SEDUM • Stonecrop

This interesting and useful family of plants in general has thick glaucous leaves. They are very hardy and remarkably drought resistant. The dwarf varieties are excellent subjects for the rockery, while the medium type are fine for edging or the herbaceous border. Good in either sun or semi-shade.

**Acre. Golden Moss.** Bright yellow flowers. Prostrate and spreading. Fine for rockery or wall garden. 2 to 3 in. May to July.

**Hybridum. Evergreen Stonecrop.** Considered one of the best. Bright yellow flowers with glossy evergreen leaves. 4 to 6 in. June, July.

**Reflexum. Jenny Stonecrop.** Forms a dense gray-green carpet with yellow flowers. 1 to 3 in. July.

**Spurium splendens.** Very pretty, deep crimson flowers. 4 to 6 in. July.

**Stoloniferum coccineum.** Scarlet Running Stonecrop. Flowers rosy crimson. Very good. 6 in. July, Aug.

### All Sedums:

3 of one variety for \$1.80; 6 for \$3.40

*Very Special!*

**50**

Assorted Rock-Garden Plants

for **\$23.75**

Our selection of the most beautiful and suitable kinds from pages 21 through 36, plus others not listed.

Fill in your vacancies with the highest quality plants at this low price. Not shipped prepaid. Express only.



# Hardy Deciduous Azaleas

## Special Offer AZALEA MOLLIS

6 PLANTS. 12 to 15 in. **\$18.80**  
(Regular value \$21.00) FOR

**D**ECIDUOUS Azaleas have many advantages over other types of Azaleas. They do not suffer from winter cold and wind as do the evergreen varieties, and are therefore long-lived, increasing in stature and beauty every year. They are ideally suited for mass planting or as individual specimens.

## Rare GHENT AZALEA HYBRIDS

**Coccinea speciosa.** Single flowers of vivid reddish orange.

**Daviesi.** Single, creamy white flowers with a yellow blotch.

**Nancy Waterer.** Single; pure lemon-yellow.

**Norma.** Double; bright rose.

**Sang de Gentbrugge.** Single; deep orange-crimson.

All above Ghent Azaleas: 12 to 15 in., \$6.00 each

## POPULAR DECIDUOUS AZALEAS

**Altaclarensis.** This is considered the finest orange-yellow Azalea in existence. The handsome trusses of molten gold open to a final glorious pure yellow.

**Mollis.** Notable for its numerous delicate shades of yellow, terra-cotta, apricot and golden salmon. Hardy in this latitude and thrives under ordinary garden treatment, but prefers a partially protected spot. Useful under tall trees, in borders, or planted with rhododendrons. Mixed colors only.

Above Azaleas: 12 to 15 in., \$3.50 each; 3 for \$9.75



AZALEA MOLLIS HYBRID, MIXED COLORS ONLY

## Pot-Grown MAGNOLIAS

B. & A. Pot-Grown Magnolias Transplant Readily

**Conspicua. Yulan Magnolia.** The very large, creamy white, sweet-scented flowers, 6 inches across, appear in April. A small tree with spreading branches.

**Soulangeana. Saucer Magnolia.** The very popular variety found in northern gardens, which develops into a small tree. Its extra-large, pink-white, tulip-shaped flowers are tinted purple at the edges.

**Soulangeana Alexandrina.** A pronounced dark red, deep purple toward base, bud opening to white inside. Blooms May 1 to 10.

**Soulangeana Lennei.** Probably one of the most sought after, as its medium-large, tulip-shaped flower is crimson on the outside and white within, providing a beautiful contrast as the flower unfolds. Matures into an open bush.

**Soulangeana Nigra. Purple Lily Magnolia.** This undoubtedly is the darkest of all the Magnolias hardy in the North. Its flowers are dark purple, providing a contrasting color not often found in spring-flowering trees. It matures into an attractive large bush-like form.

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SOULANGEANA  
\$3.50 each

## DWARF VARIETIES

**Stellata. Star Magnolia.** A lovely dwarf species. The first Magnolia to bloom (about April 8 to 20) with semi-double, sweet-scented, star-shaped white flowers 3 inches across. Forms a round bush 5 to 6 feet high, with small attractive foliage; makes an excellent specimen, border or accent plant.

**Stellata rosea. True Pink Star Magnolia.** A rare dwarf variety of Stellata. The rose-pink flowers, which appear about April 8 to 20, are not only unusual but in our opinion make this plant a garden "must." Its habit of growth and size make this possible to everyone.

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All Magnolias: \$3.50 each; any two varieties for \$6.50



# RHODODENDRON · Hybrids

CONTRARY to general belief, these hybrids do not need shade. They are easy to grow but do require an acid soil, free from all traces of lime. The most effective plantings are those in masses combining all colors for contrast and interest. The gorgeous flowers of these beloved broadleaved evergreens assume shades and tints to fit any color scheme and are suitable for large or small home plantings.

**Album novum.** White.  
**Amphion.** White and red.  
**Everestianum.** Rosy lilac.  
**Ignatius Sargent.** Crimson.  
**Lady Clermont.** Red.  
**Roseum elegans.** Rose-pink.

12 to 15 in., \$4.85 each; 15 to 18 in., \$5.75 each



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## Hardy Evergreen Azaleas

FOR garden usefulness there is, in our opinion, no plant to equal the hardy evergreen Azalea, especially when planted among other broad-leaved evergreens such as rhododendrons, kalmia, ilex, andromeda and also coniferous types, which naturally protect them.

## Glorious May Flowering



AZALEA HINODEGIRI

**Coral Beauty.** Deep coral. A, B, C.  
**Daybreak.** Light pink. A, B, C.  
**Hinodegiri.** Bright scarlet. A, B, C.  
**Mauve Beauty.** Mauve. A, B, C.  
**Mrs. L. C. Fischer.** Salmon-pink. A, B, C.  
**Snow.** White. A, B, C.

KEY TO AZALEAS AND PRICES:		Each
A—	6 to 8 in.	\$1.75
B—	8 to 10 in.	2.25
C—	10 to 12 in.	3.50

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## June Flowering

**Chippewa.** A very fine June-flowering variety. Single flowers of deep rosy carmine with light maroon. Good glossy foliage. Free flowering. A, B, C.

**June Dawn.** Probably the richest and deepest color of all June-flowering Azaleas. Its large, single flowers are a glowing salmon-red, underlaid with deep orange, having slight flakings of carmine. Plants of bushy habit and good foliage. A, B.



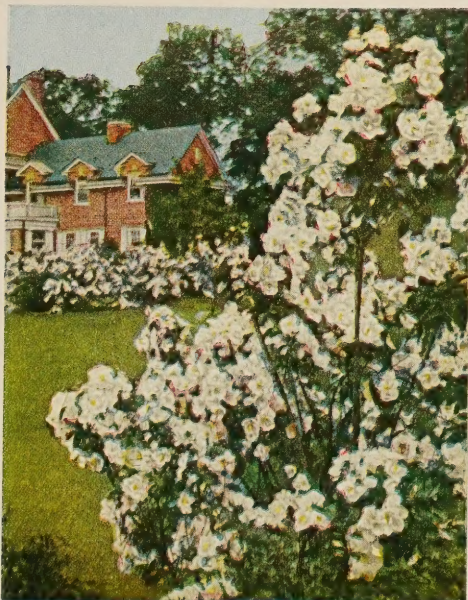
# Flowering Shrubs and VINE



PIERIS japonica. Japanese Andromeda



ABELIA grandiflora. Glossy Abelia



PHILADELPHUS virginialis

## PIERIS japonica. Japanese Andromeda.

This is one of the loveliest shrubs in our entire collection, for there is not a season in the year when it does not attract attention. The graceful sprays of flower buds are formed in late summer and later the foliage assumes glorious red and bronzy tints. 12 to 15 in., \$3.75 each; 3 for \$10.00.

## HYDRANGEA petiolaris. Climbing Hydrangea.

One of the finest of all climbing vines, and very hardy. Four-petaled white flowers in 6 to 8-inch clusters; blooms in July. \$3.75 each.

## ABELIA grandiflora. Glossy Abelia.

A lovely shrub which bears a continuous supply of white and pink, arbutus-like flowers from early summer until frost. Foliage so glossy that it sparkles in the sunlight. Grows about 3 feet. Recommended for any shrub border in groups or alone. Highly useful as a hedge for sunny or partly shaded situations. Pot-grown. \$1.85 each; 3 for \$4.50.

## POLYGONUM amplexicaule rubrum.

**Mountain Fleece-Flower.** This is truly a different and unusual herbaceous shrub, displaying a shower of striking red fleecy flowers during September on stalks or branches about 5 or 6 feet in height.

Being deciduous, the branches and stalks freeze back to the ground each winter but more and stronger new cane-like stalks come up again. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.55.

## PHILADELPHUS virginialis. Virginal Mock-Orange.

Immense, fragrant, double white flowers in large clusters weighing down the branches. Blooms in May and June and again in fall. Grows 5 to 6 feet. \$1.85 each; 3 for \$4.50.

## PYRACANTHA coccinea Lalandi. Laland Firethorn.

A spectacular shrub, having clusters of white flowers in late spring and garbed with orange-red berries in the fall. Broad, spreading grower with rigid spiny stems and evergreen foliage. Birds relish the berries. A most effective shrub for wall or foundation planting. Pot-grown, \$2.95 each, 3 for \$7.95.

## CARYOPTERIS Clandonensis BLUE MIST

A great advance over its familiar relative, *C. incana*, and making a gray-green dome some 3 feet high. Its whorled spikes of blooms of soft plumbago-blue are beautiful. Plant in front of *Keria japonica*, the yellow-flowering shrubs. Hardy and free flowering. Sept., Oct. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.



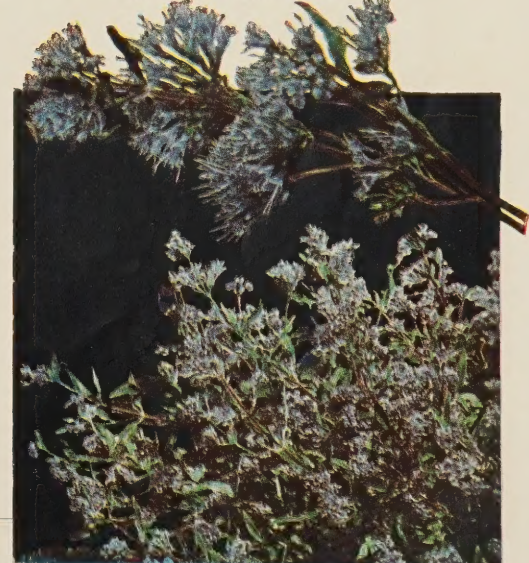
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HYDRANGEA. Climbing. Petiolaris



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CARYOPTERIS Clandonensis. Blue Mist

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# New! PYRACANTHA

**SENSATION.** Plant Patent No. 1322 ➔



*Pyracantha coccinea Lalandi.* See inside back cover.

This glorious new Pyracantha or Firethorn is proudly introduced by us for the first time to garden enthusiasts. It has been observed and compared with the old Laland Firethorn (*Pyracantha coccinea Lalandi*) but is a great improvement in many respects. Our new variety, **Sensation**, produces berries on very young growth; thus young plants when established will bear masses of the gloriously colored fruits. The semi-evergreen foliage is excellent, and the

plant very hardy. It is less thorny than any other reliably hardy varieties we know of. The early fall berries are a beautiful coral-scarlet color, later turning to brilliant red.

It will be very fine for planting against walls and in combination with other plants for foundation plantings because of its restrained and semi-formal growth. This outstanding variety will, we feel sure, become popular everywhere.

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